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COUNCIL UNIT AIRS STATE OF TOWN ALLEYS

Proper Drainage Asked As Officials Hold Stormy Session

ROADWAY IN NORTH END IS CENTER OF DISCUSSION

By ROBERT E. HOYER
(Mercury Staff Writer)

If members of council's highway-sewer committee complain of "alleyitis" after last night's lengthy session on borough alleys, no one would blame them.

Consuming the major portion of the meeting in council chambers was a discussion on the borough's dirt alleys.

Chairman Paul Marshall got as excited as a new father over the alley proposition.

At one point, he thundered, "Sure we've been in that alley before, but we had no business in there."

He was referring to the alley between Charlotte and Evans streets off Prospect and to the rear of Bause's Drug store.

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WILBERT O'DELL asked that the surface in the middle of the alley be removed to provide proper drainage.

Marshall shouted, "That alley's never been ordained."

O'Dell cut back, "The only reason it hasn't been ordained is an oversight."

Marshall snarled, "Is that our fault?"

O'Dell asserted, "Now there's no reason to get pig-headed about this thing."

Marshall asserted, "We're not going to take care of that alley as far as I'm concerned."

O'Dell explained patiently, "We want that alley graded for drainage. That's all."

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J. WAYNE Knause said, "Now look here fellows. There are a couple of nice properties back there and we must take care those people."

John Frain said, "I'm in favor of taking care of ths alley if we can fix Gus' alley." He was referring to an alley between Seventh and Eighth streets, west of York street, which Custav H. Schade Jr., had complained about.

Schade reported this alley never was repaired.

Ten more minutes of shouting ended the case on the alleys with the committee agreed that a minimum of work should be done to relieve the flooding conditions on the alleys.

The committee asked Borough Manager Horace B. Gulden to open a drain on a private property to inspect a pipe which is believed to be causing the flooded conditions in the 1200 block on Queen and South streets.

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COUNCILMAN Ernest C. Hurter requested the committee take that action. Gulden will seek permission from the property owner to check the pipe.

It was pointed out the line probably will be replaced if it is in satisfactory condition.

Gulden will investigate a

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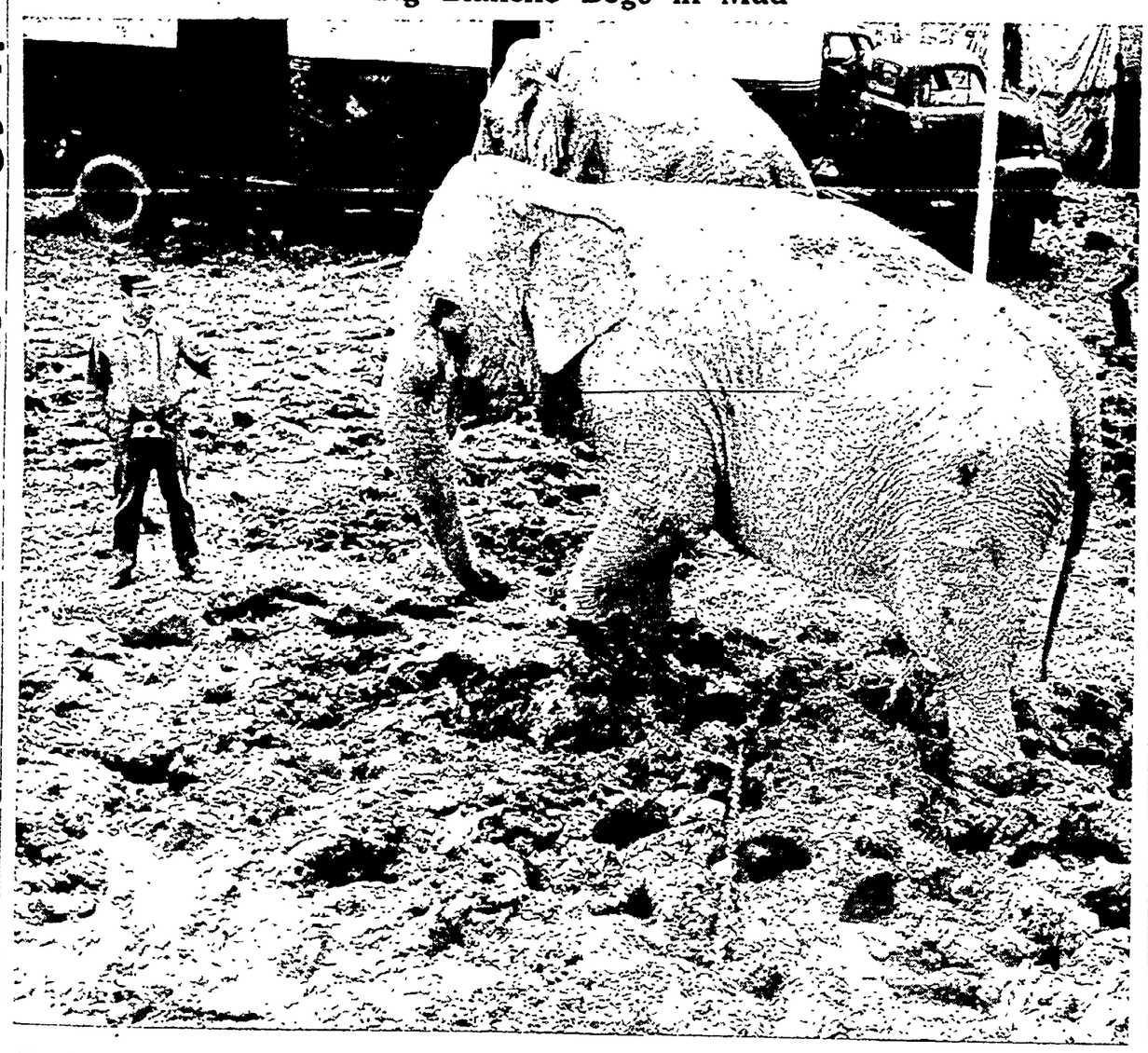
Big Blanche Bogs in Mud



The circus came to town yesterday—complete with pop corn, peanuts, clowns and elephants. Here's what the owners of the Kelley-Morris circus claim is the biggest elephant in the world. Her name is Big Blanche. Here she performs in knee-deep muck for Phil Thees, 451 Warren street. Pottstonians didn't sink quite as far in the mud as did the 11,000 pound native of India, but most managed to get their feet wet and clothes spotted.

—*Mercury Staff Photo*

TOWN CATCHES QUICK LOOK AT GOVERNOR

Maryland's McKeldin Delivers Speech at Boys' School

POLICE ESCORT HIM TO COMMENCEMENT RITES

Pottstown got only a fleeting look at the Governor of Maryland yesterday morning as police rushed him through the borough with sirens screaming.

Bound for Perkiomen School for Boys' commencement exercises, Gov. Theodore R. McKeldin was given an escort from the Maryland line by Pennsylvania State police. Driving the Governor's car was his State police chauffeur.

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In North Coventry, the car was led by Township Police Chief Daniel W. Guldin, who took the little convoy into the borough. At the foot of South Hanover street, a borough police car driven by Motor Patrolman Earl J. Rhoads gave a lights-flashing, siren-on escort from Route 100 (Hanover street) to the northern line.

The Governor made the 10 a. m. commencement on time. Rushing was in order again when he left the school at 2 p. m., bound for a 5 p. m. commencement at Baltimore, Md. He was given a State police escort south on Route 29 to see the scenic Perkiomen Valley. He followed Route 29 to West Chester.

At the commencement, in New Goshenhoppen Reformed church, Governor McKeldin spoke on brotherhood. He came to know Perkiomen school in 1948 and 1949, when as chairman of National Brotherhood Week, he became interested in the preparatory school's brotherhood program.

He told the 53 graduates and their parents and friends: "It is an honor indeed to address the graduating class of the school which took time out from the seeking of advanced learning, the pursuits of this modern hurry-up existence, to give thought and action to the very base of our civilization, brotherhood among men.

"I want to congratulate the school on the success of that Brotherhood Week, which it observed last Friday and to express the hope that . . . it will in time become one of the great traditions

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Man Is Accused In Burglary at Area Vets' Post

A former Pottstown Firestone Tire and Rubber company worker yesterday was charged with burglary of the Boyertown American Legion this past Friday morning.

The FBI collaborated with area police in pinning the early morning burglary on Robert J. Bauman, 26, who was dismissed at Firestone more than a month ago because of absenteeism.

Bauman, a former resident of Berwyn, is awaiting trial on charges of operating his automobile during suspension from Montgomery county prison, Norristown.

Detainers have been filed against him in Berks county.

In the event he gets bail for the motor vehicle violation he will be turned over to Berks authorities, where bail must be set by the court on the burglary charge.

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BOYERTOWN Chief Henry E. Groff made a special trip to the Washington headquarters of the FBI with a piece of the closet door which the burglar had pried open.

The chief also took a jimmy iron along to Washington. He waited in headquarters until FBI investigators concluded the door had been pried open with the iron found on Bauman's possession when he was arrested this past Thursday in the Shuler House hotel, 138 High street.

Collaborating in the Boyertown investigation were Groff and Troopers John Beamer and Stanley P. Zellin of the Reading State police barracks.

Beamer said two other pieces of evidence pointed the finger of guilt on the former Berwyn man.

A dollar bill was found in Bauman's wallet which was identified by a trustee of the Legion as a bill which he said was among the cash stolen.

The green printing matter on one side of the bill ran off at the edge, he said.

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POLICE ALSO FOUND in Bauman's possession a roll of dimes wrapped in green paper, the same kind of paper used by the Legion to wrap silver.

Bauman, who had been committed to the borough lockup this past Thursday, was held for court by Seventh Ward Justice of the Peace Richard H. Cadmus this past Saturday on the charge of driving his car during suspension.

Chief James A. Laughead and Sgt. Thomas A. Lawler arrested Bauman at the Shuler house this past Thursday.

Plainclothesman Lewis M. Borgiet aided in the investigation.

Pottstown police did not report the arrest nor Bauman's detention in the lockup.

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CHIEF GROFF, who left for Washington at 2 o'clock Saturday morning and returned at 10 o'clock Saturday night, said Bauman previously had been placed on probation for receiving stolen goods.

Warrants charging Bauman with burglary, breaking and entering and larceny were sworn out before Boyertown Justice of the Peace Earl H. Keim.

Burglary at the Boyertown Legion post took place between 1:30 and 8:30 o'clock on the morning of the past Tuesday. Stolen was more than $400 in cash.

The burglary was the first of the year in Boyertown.

SAFETY ACTION PROPOSED FOR CRUMBLED WALL

Directors Plan Dumping Of Stone in Gap

Action was taken swiftly last night by directors of the Memorial Park association to protect youngsters from any accidents that might result from the section of the retaining wall along the Manatawny that crumbled in the past weekend's torrential rains.

William F. Lamb, one of the directors, said last night the problem was discussed yesterday with other directors.

"We're going to see if we can get eight or ten truckloads of heavy stone dumped on the section where the wall was washed away," Lamb said.

A huge section of the mortared stone wall that is used as a retainer along one section of the Manatawny in the Memorial park property slipped into the river after steady two-day pressure from flood-swelled waters.

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"WE WANT to get something on that broken area right away," Lamb said, "so that no children, who swim around there, will have any accident."

Lamb said the directors wouldn't be able to rebuild the wall right away because of the lack of funds.

"But we can protect the children and the rest of the wall with heavy stones," he concluded.

FOOD HANDLERS FAIL TO COMPLY

Health Officer Reports None Has Sought Chest X-Rays

Food handlers in Pottstown have shown little interest in the borough ordinance requiring chest X-ray examinations.

Benjamin Steele, borough health officer, reported that only a few inquiries have been made to date, but none of the food handlers has checked in at Memorial hospital for an X-ray.

Under a borough ordinance passed by council the past April 13 personnel of every establishment which handles unpackaged food for human consumption, including clubs, restaurants and bars must have chest X-rays by Aug. 1.

Failure to comply with the rules and regulations laid down by council can result in a jail sentence.

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IN HIS REPORT to the board, Health Officer Steele stated there were 35 cases of communicable diseases reported during the past month.

They included: mumps, 16; measles, six, German measles, two; scarlet fever, three; meningitis, two, and chicken pox, six.

He noted that four eating and drinking places were inspected and licenses issued. There were spot checks of 18 eating and drinking places.

A total of six complaints was investigated and orders for abatement were issued by the health officer.

Francis H. Peterman, vice president, presided in the absence of President Dr. Jack R. Wennersten.

Mt. Everest Scaled

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Man conquers mighty Mt. Everest!

Turn to Page 2 and read the first reports of how a British expedition successfully assaulted the hitherto unscaled, more than 29,000-foot unconquered mountain.

In the 11th attempt within the past 32 years, man finally climbed the bitter-cold, windswept heights to emerge victorious.

Tipsters Win Prizes By Calling Mercury Despite Early Hour

The early birds got most of the worms yesterday in The Mercury's weekly newstip contest as alert readers cashed in on the knowledge that The Mercury is always ready to accept a tip, day or night, weekday or weekend.

First prize of $5 was won by Vincent Ricci, Royersford RD 1, who called at 6:20 a. m. Sunday with a tip on one of a series of holiday service station burglaries. As usual, someone was in the office to take the report.

The Mercury went to press early Friday night before Memorial Day, but the call of Mrs. Adolph Sankey, Limerick, late that night found an answer. Today, she'll find she's won the second prize of $3.

Two other early Sunday callers, William Shade, 27 West Second street, and Harold Curry, 33 West Second street, collaborated on a tip about a portion of the wall in Manatawny park collapsing. They won third prize of $2.

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CLARENCE BOYER, 321 High street, won a cash bonus prize for a tip on a serious auto acci-

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Firemen Sponsors Pleased

Over 1500 Attend Two Performances Of Circus Despite Muddy Grounds

More than 1500 of Pottstown's children—both the real and adult varieties—took in the afternoon and evening performances of the Kelly-Morris circus yesterday.

Sunshine drew the kiddies and their mothers to overflow the afternoon session while a near full house attended the evening show.

The site of the show was changed from its orginal location at the rear of the Pottstown hospital to a field at the water basin at Washington run and Warren street.

But the sudden change, because of muddy ground brought about by the weekend's heavy rains, didn't affect attendance much.

Donald C. Davis, chairman of the board of directors of the Good Will Fire company, which sponsored the show, said last night he was well pleased with the attendance and wanted to thank businessmen in town and residents who braved the muddy field to attend and make the project a success.

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PATRONS HAD to walk on tip toe through the mud covered, matted grass that led to the big top but once seated they enjoyed the small circus' repertoire.

The show included the usual trained animal acts, trapeze performers and clowns, menagerie, and impromptu performances of working elephants.

Many eager youngsters who stood by the entrance gate looking in at the show were allowed to pass through without tickets.

Many of the borough's merchants had bought children's tickets and had either given them to the children themselves or had given them to the man at the gate who in turn let the youngsters pass.

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THE AFTERNOON session didn't get started until a half hour after it was supposed to because there were so many mothers and children still waiting to buy tickets at the 3:30 p. m. curtain hour.

The circus will pull out of town at 5 o'clock this morning and head for Ephrata. On Wednesday night the troupe will play in Reading and then travel to Boyertown.

Rev. Hoover Picked As New Head of Ministers' Group

The Rev. Maurice E. Hoover, pastor of Searles Memorial Methodist church, was elected president of Pottstown Ministerial association at its meeting yesterday.

Rev. Hoover

The Rev. Hoover, who is in his fifth year as Searles' pastor, served the past year as vice president. In previous years, he held the posts of secretary, treasurer and program chairman. He succeeds the Rev. Edward S. Horn, pastor of St. James Lutheran church.

Other new officers are the Rev. Howard A. Kosman, pastor of Zion's Reformed church, vice president; the Rev. Eugene Umberger, pastor of Transfiguration Lutheran church, secretary, and the Rev. John B. Frantz, pastor of Trinity Reformed church, treasurer.

Program chairman will be the Rev. Paul C Scheirer, pastor of St. John's and St. Paul's (Stowe) Reformed churches.

Elections were held following the report of the nominating committee chairmanned by James F. Baird, general secretary of the YMCA.

Welcomed as a member was the new pastor of Pottstown's St. Paul's Reformed church, the Rev. C. William Ebbert.

A suggestion that the association arrange outdoor services was taken under advisement.

The meeting, scheduled for the Rev. Kosman's Summer home, was moved to Trinity Evangelical Congregational church because of the bad weather. Host and hostess at the luncheon for 17 members, were

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Engine Trouble Delays Reading Train Here

The Reading company's eastbound 3:20 p. m. passenger train was delayed 30 minutes in the Pottstown station yesterday.

A company spokesman said the delay was caused by engine trouble with the Diesel locomotive. The trouble was fixed in the station.

Round Table Talks On Sewer Problem May Set Up Plan

Round table discussion of the borough's sewer bottlenecks tonight may result in a definite program for the Summer.

Taking part in tonight's meeting at 7:30 o'clock will be members of the borough authority, Borough Manager Horace B. Gulden and Alfred Estrada, engineer with the firm of Albright and Friel, Philadelphia.

The firm has drawn up a list of recommendations as to what the borough should do to eliminate bottlenecks in the sanitary sewer systems that are causing the overflowing of sewer lines in some sections of the borough.

At the meeting, the authority members and manager will discuss the recommendations made by the engineering firm with one of its own engineers.

Copies of the report, dated May 4, have been given to each Authority member for study.

Temperature Noted Five Degrees Above Record Low Mark

The old line, "What is so rare as a day in June?" took on a new and chilly meaning in Pottstown yesterday.

The temperature dipped to a low of 50 degrees, and that's rare. It was only five degrees off the all-time record set for the date, 45 degrees in 1945.

Just to rub it in, the weather also brought a little more of that four-letter word beginning with "r" that we've all had more than enough of.

Beginning at 1:30 a. m yesterday, another forty-two hundredths of an inch, most of it in the early morning, descended. This meant that it's now rained in Pottstown on 22 of the past 31 days. There's been 9.59 inches in that period.

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THE SUN broke through the clouds yesterday at 1:42 o'clock in the afternoon. It wouldn't have been unreasonable if a baby had

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Description of Auto May Furnish Lead in 'Gas' Station Thefts

An alert housewife's description of a get-away car may furnish local and State police a lead to the identity of the thieves who burglarized two gasoline stations and tried to break into two others in Pottstown and the area over the weekend.

Plainclothesman Lewis Borgiet of the local police department said the description of the car was being checked for a possible lead.

The car was described by Mrs. Oliver Bainbridge, wife of the owner of the "gas" station in Limerick which thieves tried to break into Sunday morning, as being a "blue 1951 Ford sedan."

Mrs. Bainbridge had reported that she heard the sound of glass shattering, walked out into the yard behind the "gas" station and saw the would-be thieves hop into the car and race towards Limerick.

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BORGIET SAID YESTERDAY, however, that he didn't think all four crimes were committed by the same person or persons.

"Three of them might have

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Crash in Limerick Causes $1000 Loss

A 1953 convertible had an estimated $1000 damage when it went out of control on rainy Route 422 in Limerick Center early yesterday and rammed a high curb.

Clayton S. Schnoke, Pine Grove RD 2, Schuylkill county, a sailor, told Jeffersonville State police he was driving east on the highway toward Philadelphia's Navy yard at 5:45 o'clock, when the convertible shot across the road near the home of Dr. Ivan Hess, a quarter-mile east of Swamp pike.

The front of the car was smashed as it rammed the curb, then lurched over it onto the sidewalk. No one was injured.

State Troopers Joseph Kane and Martin Jeffers investigated.

THE WEATHER

For Eastern Pennsylvania: Mostly sunny with highest in lower 70's today. Tomorrow, fair with little change in temperature.

68 High — Mercury Antics — 50 Low

TEMPERATURE EXTREMES

Local temperatures yesterday and early this morning were:

4 a. m.	54	4 p. m.	62
5 a. m.	52	5 p. m.	64
6 a. m.	51	6 p. m.	65
7 a. m.	50	7 p. m.	68
8 a. m.	50	8 p. m.	66
9 a. m.	50	9 p. m.	62
10 a. m.	51	10 p. m.	60
11 a. m.	53	11 p. m.	57
12 m.	54	12 p. m.	56
1 p. m.	56	1 a. m.	56
2 p. m.	58	2 a. m.	54
3 p. m.	60	3 a. m.	54

$350 in Bonds for Winners

CIO Unions Sponsor Essay Contest

Pottstown CIO unions announced yesterday they are sponsoring an essay contest for Pottstown Junior and Senior High school pupils, with prizes of six US bonds with a total redemption value of $350.

John A. Shaner, chairman of the CIO committee that set up the contest, said, "It's the first time we've had a contest of this kind, and we hope to make it an annual event."

The schools had been notified of the contest several days ago, Shaner said, but public announcement was withheld until the judges were chosen. They are Dr. B. W. Barkas, member of the Philadelphia board of educatoin; Paul Chancellor, director of the humanities program at The Hill, and K. S. Kane, personnel director, Jacobs Aircraft Engine company.

Essays are to be on the theme, "The Accomplishments and Aims of American Trade Unions," and are to be turned in to the school offices not later than Monday, June 8.

"Of course, the purpose of establishing such a contest is to make the children aware of labor unions and what they stand for," Shaner asserted.

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FOR BOTH Pottstown Junior and Senior High school pupils, there will be three prizes in bonds: $100, $50 and $25. Names of the authors will not be taken from the envelopes until the decisions have been made.

Children of men or women holding elective executive office in unions are not eligible.

The CIO union sponsors are the United Steel Workers, United Auto Workers, United Rubber Workers and Textile Workers union. Samuel Frost worked with Shaner on arrangements.

Area Pastor 27 Years

Rev. Howard Krauss Dies in Hospital

The Rev. Howard H. Krauss, pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran church, Red Hill, for the past 27 years, died last night at 9 o'clock in Allentown hospital.

A former president of the Norristown conference of the Lutheran Church, the 77-year-old clergyman was treasurer of the conference from 1940 until the time of his death.

He had been in ill health for several months, and had been operated on the past Wednesday.

Born in East Greenville, he was a son of the late Henry S. and the late Amanda (Hoffman) Krauss.

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THE REV. KRAUSS had been a school teacher before studying for the ministry.

He was graduated from Muhlenberg college with a bachelor of arts degree in 1906. He received a master of arts degree from the college in 1910.

In 1909 he entered Mt. Airy Theological seminary, Philadelphia, and was ordained in Holy Trinity Lutheran church, Philadelphia, the same year.

He was elected president of the Norristown conference of his church in 1939 and served in that office until 1940.

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HE WAS A MEMBER of the Pennsylvania German Folklore society, the Pennsylvania Academy of Science, the Historical Society of Montgomery county, the Sons of the Revolution; Schuylkill lodge, F and AM, the Perkiomen Valley Rotary club and Rotary International, and the Valley Forge Boy Scout council.

Surviving are his wife, Susan W. (Kriebel) Krauss; six children, Frances, wife of Charles Pflieger,

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Spray Appeared Smoky, So He Called Firemen

Someone called for fire equipment last night.

And a few minutes later the Good Will fire engine went roaring up High street toward Madison street to extinguish a "burning" car.

All the firemen could find was the borough's new fog machine moving peacefully along the street, throwing off its spray. The caller apparently mistook the spray for smoke.

ON THE MAIN DRAG

HAROLD MILLER
—working on a holiday.

DAN EGOLF
—hurrying off the dance floor.

DONALD MONROE
—looking for matches.

JOAN O'NEILL
—laughing with Irish eyes.

ELEANOR GANTERT
—surveying the work-a-day week.

BILLY PASCUCCI
—removing battle scars.

DICK EDWARDS
—stowing away his bathing suit.

FRANCES HOOPLE
—singing in the rain.

EMILY CHEATHAM
—knocking on a door.

GEORGE GOVATOS
—talking about Oregon.

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Opens are Lost - Not Won, Facts Prove

PITTSBURGH, June 1 (AP) — When it comes to the United States Open golf championship there's an old saying that goes like this:

"Opens are never won, they are lost."

Sam Snead, Greenbrier pro from White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., has a picture swing and hits a golf ball as far as anybody. He has won about every golf tournament. But he's never won the National Open—and he has tried 12 times.

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SAM SNEAD

Samuel Jackson Snead came closest to winning in 1939 at Spring Mill in Philadelphia. All he needed on the 18th hole was a par 5. A 6 and he would have tied Byron Nelson, Craig Wood and Denny Shute. Instead, Sam was all over the place and finished with an 8 to wind up in fifth position.

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IN ST. LOUIS in 1947, Snead and Lew Worsham, home pro at Oakmont near Pittsburgh where the National Open will be played June 11-12-13, met in a playoff for the Open. On the 18th green of the playoff, Snead missed a 31-inch putt. Worsham dropped a 30-incher to win.

In 1937 at Detroit, Snead and Ralph Guldahl were tied going into the last round of the Open. Guldahl shot a 69 and Snead a 71 to give give Sam his first of three seconds.

In 1935, when Sam Parks Jr. won with a 299, highest total since Tommy Armour's 301 of 1927, four golfers other than Parks looked like winners.

Long ball hitter Jimmy Thomson and Parks were tied going into the final 18. But on the last five holes, Thomson went one over par on each hole to finish second with 301.

In fairness to Parks, it must be stated that he three-putted only two of the fast greens during 72 holes.

Had Walter Hagen (302), Ray Mangrum (303) or Henry Picard (306) matched their score for the previous 18 holes, one would have won or tied for the crown. Hagen shot a 76 for third, Mangrum 79 to tie Denny Shute for fourth and Picard 79 to run sixth.

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IN 1934 at Merion, Bobby Cruickshank, the wee Scot, led at 54 holes but he went four over

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JULIUS BOROS

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par on the last five holes and finished four shots back of Olin Dutra. In the same event, Gene Sarazen shot a miserable 76 and lost to Dutra by one stroke. Gene's previous rounds were 73, 72, 73.

More recently, there was the 1950 Merion playoff in Philadelphia. Lloyd Mangrum saw a fly on his ball as he was about to putt on the 16th green. He picked up the ball and blew the fly off. He also blew his chances for victory. He was penalized two shots for touching the ball.

On the 17th, Mangrum was prepared to drive off first. He thought he had a par 4 to hold the honor from the previous hole.

"When informed he had been penalized two strokes," says USGA Executive Director Joseph C. Dey Jr., "you could see the tenseness in his expression. But then he smiled and said 'Well, I guess we'll all eat tomorrow.'

"Lloyd displayed one of the greatest bits of sportsmanship I've ever seen."

HOGAN holed a birdie two on the 17th and won the 18-hole playoff with a 69, as against Mangrum's 73 and George Fazio's 75.

However, to say all Opens are lost would be an injustice to many champions. One in particular is Ben Hogan.

In 1951 at Detroit, Jimmy Demaret feels he blew his chances with a final round 78 after having been tied for the lead at 54 holes with Bobby Locke. But Hogan came down that last round with a brilliant 67. It was one of the two below-par rounds in the tournament. The other was a 69 by runner-up Clayton Heafner.

Demaret also got the runnerup spot at Riviera in 1948 when Hogan won his first of three Opens. Ben also really won that one for he shot a record 276 and broke three course records in the process, averaging 69 per round.

By the same token, no one could fault the victories of Gene Sarazen at Fresh Meadow, Flushing, N. Y., in 1932, or of Johnny Goodman at North Shore, Chicago, in 1933.

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SARAZEN blazed through the last 28 holes at Fresh Meadow in an even 100 strokes. On the final round he shot a 66. This was the greatest golf ever played over a series of holes.

In 1933, Goodman's second round 66 gave him the edge and he finished with a 70-78 to beat Guldahl by one stroke.

Hogan is going after his fourth Open. He wants to tie the record of Willie Anderson and Bob Jones, who have won it four times. Ben had a good chance in Texas last Summer but the heat was too much for him, even though he's a native Texan.

Julius Boros of Mid Pines, Southern Pines, N. C., won his first major event when he took the 1952 Open. Hhe shot a 281 to beat Porky Oliver by four blows.

It was a surprise to many that Boros won, but his Open background received little consideration. In his first Open in 1950 Julius tied for ninth place after being one stroke back earlier in the tournament. In the first round he needed three pars for a 65 but went three over on the last three holes. In the second round he was one under for 15 holes but went one over on the last three holes.

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IN 1951 at Detroit, Boros tied Mangrum for fourth place. Going into the last round he was tied with Paul Runyan for third place, only one stroke back of the leaders.

Boros has won practically nothing this year. He hopes to be ready for the test but only five Open champions have successfully defended—Willie Anderson in 1904 and 1905, J. J. McDermott in 1912, Bob Jones in 1930, Ralph Guldahl in 1938 and Ben Hogan in 1951.

Hogan, it seems, will be the man to beat. The Open will be his fifth and last tournament of the year. After it he will do nothing more than play 19 or 20 exhibitions at various clubs.

Sam Snead, despite his string of losses and a troublesome left hand, should be tough at Oakmont for he won his third PGA title there in 1951. He won his semi-final and final matches by 9 and 8 and 8 and 7 from **Charley Bassler and Walter Burkemo, respectively.**

Other contenders could be Jim Turnesa, PGA champion; British Open ruler Bobby Locke from South Africa; Peter Thompson, 1951 Australian champion, and Dr. Cary Middlecoff, recent Round Robin winner and 1948 Open winner at Medinah in Chicago.

Then, of course, there's Worsham, 1947 winner at St. Louis, who will be playing over his home layout, plus 1946 champion Lloyd Mangrum, Jimmy Demaret and Jack Burke.

It will be interesting to see the scores because Armour's 301 at Oakmont in 1927 and Parks' 299 in 1935 represent the two highest Open totals in the last 34 years.

Four New Ones

There are four new pari-mutuel harness tracks in operation this year. The tracks are Bayard, Fla., Hazel Park, Mich., Vernon, N. Y., and Wilmington, Del.

Side by Side

Michigan State halfbacks Leroy Bolden and Ellis Ducket also were teammates on their high school track team which won the state championship in 1950.

ON WAY OUT? — Reports that Cincinnati players are circulating a petition for the ouster of Manager Rogers Hornsby were branded as untrue by both players and club general manager Gabe Paul. Hornsby declared that "if they are in revolt it's news to me. I've taken only one player to task this season." Hornsby took over the Redlegs last summer after he had been fired as manager of the Browns.

Cardinals' Red Schoendienst Comes From Shadows To Lead National Stickers; Kell Tops in American

NEW YORK, June 1 (AP)—Red Schoendienst, overshadowed by St. Louis Cardinal teammates Stan Musial and Enos Slaughter during a nine-year major league career, finally is coming into his own this season.

The Cards' switch-hitting second baseman methodically has worked his way into the National League batting lead with a healthy .371 average. Red also is tops in hits with 62, and doubles, 14.

Schoendienst picked up 22 points last week with 17 hits in 38 at bats to move ahead of Jim Greengrass of Cincinnati in second place at .362 and Johnny Wyrostek of Philadelphia with .358.

In only one year has the carrot-top speedster hit more than .300. That was in 1952 when he finished with a .303 mark. His lifetime average is .281.

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IN THE AMERICAN League, George Kell of the Boston Red Sox is setting the pace at .367. The veteran third sacker last Monday relinquished the lead he held since May 3 but regained it when Washington's Mickey Vernon tailed off to a runner-up .339. Records include Sunday's games

Behind the National League's big three come Richie Ashburn of Philadelphia with .348, Ed Mathews, Milwaukee, .331 and Roy Campanella of Brooklyn, .322. Campanella continued his torrid pace to lead in home runs with 17 and runs batted in, 54.

Gus Bell of the Cincinnati Redlegs is the Senior circuit's sixth leading batter at .321 followed by Davey Williams, New York, .312, Duke Snider, Brooklyn, .309 and Jackie Robinson, also of the Dodgers, .308.

Al Rosen of Cleveland, who heads the American League in home runs with ten, is third in batting with a .338 slate. Al moved up from fourth place with 11-for-30 last week.

Then come Pete Suder of Philadelphia, .331; Mickey Mantle, New York, .327; Don Lund, Detroit, .315; Bob Nieman, Detroit, and Gene Woodling, New York, with .308 each; Jim Busby, Washington, .306, and Hank Bauer, New York, .299.

Clyde Vollmer of the Washington Senators has driven in the most runs, 33.

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MILWAUKEE'S Max Surkont maintained his National League pitching supremacy with a 6-0 record. Four American League hurlers have won four games without a defeat. They are Bob Hooper of Cleveland, Ed Lopat and Whitey Ford of the New York Yankees and Frank Shea of Washington.

RED SCHOENDIENST
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Ben Hogan Announces Intention To Play in July's British Open

NEW YORK, June 1 (AP) — Ben Hogan, the Texas shotmaking marvel who has won every major golf crown in the United States, announced today he would make his first bid for the British Open championship at Carnoustie, Scotland, next month.

His entry was cabled formally to the Royal and Ancient golf club of St. Andrews, the ruling body of British golf, by Joe Dey, executive secretary of the U.S. Golf association.

"Ben said something may arise to force his withdrawal at the last minute but added that he had every intention at the moment of playing," Dey said.

The tournament is scheduled July 6-10 over the historic Carnoustie course, across the Firth of Tay from St. Andrews.

Hogan, after an exhibition in New England yesterday, left New York tonight for Pittsburgh, where he will try to win his fourth U. S. open championship next week.

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BEN HOGAN

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BEN HAS never played in Britain and many of the sport's observers have been hesitant to compare him with such greats as Harry Vardon, Bobby Jones and Walter Hagen until he could prove himself on the rugged playing conditions of England's and Scotland's championship courses.

Gene Sarazen, a former British Open winner himself, has been one of the most outspoken in urging that Hogan, rated the game's greatest player, should perform in the land where the sport was born.

Hogan, 40 years old and now confining himself to a few handpicked tournaments, apparently is at the top of his game.

In four tournaments this year, he has won three — the Masters, the Pan American Open at Mexico City and Colonial Invitation — and has finished third in the other, the Greenbrier Open.

In the Masters tournament in April, the onetime Fort Worth caddy lowered the Masters record by five strokes in winning with a 72-hole score of 274.

THIRD OF FOUR DEFENDING CHAMPS SIGNS FOR EASTERN

READING, June 1 — With receipt of the signed entry blank of Mrs. William Silvernail Jr., the former Beverly Hanson, three of four former champions will be in the staring field for the fifth annual Women's Eastern Open golf tournament which will be held June 4-7 at the Berkshire Country club.

As Miss Hanson, Mrs. Silvernail won the Eastern Open here in 1951 with a tournament-record score of 215. Patty Berg, 1950 champion, and Betsy Rawls, last year's entries, were early entries. Only absentee among the former winners is Mildred (Babe) Didrikson, who won the inaugural in 1949. She now is recuperating from a recent operation.

Three weeks after Miss Hanson abdicated the National Amateur throne in 1951 she startled the links realm by winning the Eastern Open here by a three-stoke margin over Mrs. Zaharias. Her only other major conquest since that time was winning the Boca Raton, Fla., section of the 1953 Weathervane tournament with a 36-hole score of 79-69—148.

She carded 239 in last year's Eastern Open here, 13 strokes behind Miss Rawls' winning 226, but she has high hopes of improving on that showing in the 1953 classic.

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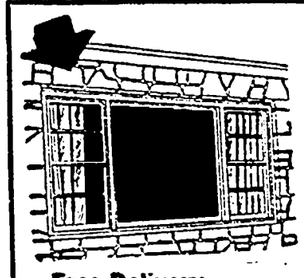

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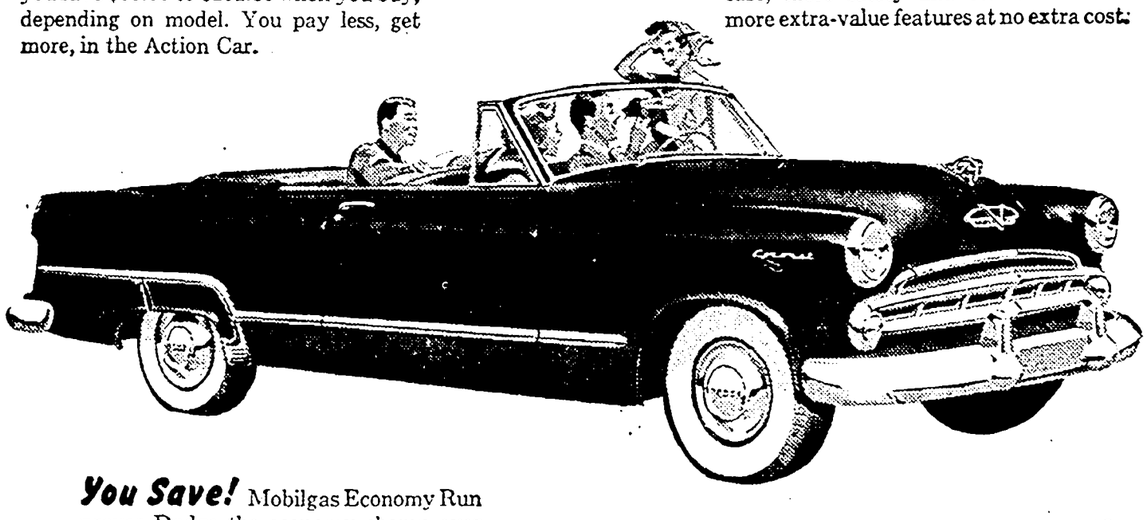

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Hour	KYW NBC 1060 K	WCAU CBS 1210 K	WFIL ABC 560 K	WIP MBS 610 K
6:00	Bill Givens	Rural Digest	Rise and Shine	Dawn Patrol
:15	" "	" "	" " "	" "
:30	Jack Pyle	John Trent	" " "	" "
:45	" "	" "		News
7:00	News; Music	News	Rise and Shine	Mac McGuire
:15	Jack Pyle	Here's Harvey	" " "	Comedy
:30	" "	" "	News, Weather	News; Mac
:45	News Reporter	News	Rise and Shine	McGuire
8:00	Jack Pyle	That Man Sears	Rise and Shine	Mac McGuire
:15	" "	Here's Harvey	" " "	News
:30	News, Jack Pyle	" "	" " "	Mac McGuire
:45	" "		Morning Extra	" "
9:00	Ruth Welles	Coronation	Breakfast Club	Gabriel Heatter
:15	Victor Lindlahr	"	" "	Kitchen Kapers
:30	Kitchen Club	"	" "	"
:45	Happy Clarns			Famous Voices
10:00	Welcome	Women Only	My True Story	Happiness Keys
:15	Travelers	Your Bell	" "	"
:30	Double or	Arthur Godfrey	Whispe'e Streets	Mail Bag
:45	Nothing	"	When Girl Weds	Wax Works
11:00	Strike It Rich	Arthur Godfrey	The Little Show	Ladies Fair
:15	" " "	"	Betty Crocker	" "
:30	Phrase Fays	Women Only	Turn to Friend	Queen for a Day
:45	Bob Hope	Rosemary	" "	" "

AFTERNOON

12:00	News	Wendy Warren	Jack Berch	Curt Massey
:15	Coronation	Aunt Jenny	Antell	Eddie Fisher
:30	"	Helen Trent	Today's Topics	News
:45	Bob Benson	Our Gal Sunday	" "	Weather
1:00	Ann Lee	Road of Life	Mr. Lucky	Happiness Keys
:15	" "	Ma Perkins	" "	Mary Biddle
:30	Ruth Welles	Dr Malone	Mary Jones	"
:45	News	Guiding Light	" "	McGuire
2:00	Jack Pyle	2nd Mrs Burton	Antell	Jack Creamer
:15	" "	Perry Mason	Radioland	Show
:30	" "	Nora Drake	Lee Stewart	Big Beef
:45	" "	Brighter Day	" "	News
3:00	Life Beautiful	Hilltop House	Lee Stewart	Jerry Williams &
:15	Road of Life	House Party	" "	Harry Smith
:30	Pepper Young	"	" "	Wms & Smith
:45	Queen Elizabeth	Shopping Fun	" "	(cont'd)
4:00	Backstage Wife	Block Party	Lee Stewart	Music
:15	Stella Dallas	Coronation	" "	News
:30	Widder Brown	"	Bob Horn	Music Sports
:45	Woman in House		Bandstand	Memory Lane
5:00	Just Plain Bill	Coronation	Bob Horn	Famous Voices
:15	Front Page Far'll	Arthur Godfrey	Bandstand	Music
:30	Lorenzo Jones	World on Parade	Skipper Dawes	Sky King
:45	Doctor's Wife	Curt Massey	" "	" "

EVENING

6:00	News; Weather	News	Lee Stewart	News
:15	News	Music	" "	Brookhouser
:30	Answer Man	Sports	Singin Sam	Sports
:45	Three Star Extra	Lowell Thomas	Tom Moorehead	Sullivan Com'nts
7:00	Symphonette	Beulah	Stars at Seven	Fulton Lewis
:15	"	Junior Miss	Elmer Davis	News
:30	News	As I See It	Silver Eagle	Gabriel Heatter
:45	One Manns Family	Edw R Murrow	" "	Lobby Parley
8:00	Eddie Fisher	People Are	Discussion	Mystery
:15	Bob Benson	Funny	"	"
:30	First Nighter	Mr and Mrs	Coronation	Music In the
:45	" "	North	"	Night
9:00	Martin and	Johnny Dollar	America's	Coronation
:15	Lewis	"	Town Meeting	Highlights
:30	Fibber McGee	My Friend Irma	" "	"
:45	and Molly	" "	News	
10:00	Two For the	Louella Parsons	News	Frank Edwards
:15	Money	Coronation	Virgil Pinkley	Paul Sullivan
:30	News	"	City Editor	Mystery
:45	Dave Garroway		Big Bands	"
11:00	News; Sports	News	Bob Horn	C'mon 'n Dance
:15	"	Powers Gouraud	Bandstand	" " "
:30	Hal Moore	Concert Hall	"	" " "
:45	" "	Day Dreams		" " "
12 p.m	Hal Moore	All Night Watch	Sports; News	Bandwagon

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Time	Channel No.	Program
12 15 P. M.	6	Stop, Look and Listen
1:00 P. M.	3	Hollywood Playhouse
1.30 P. M.	10	Gary Moore
2.00 P. M.	3	Pots, Pans, Personalities
2:00 P. M.	10	Freedom Rings
2:15 P. M.	6	Woman's Page
2.30 P. M.	10	House Party
2.45 P. M.	6	Bandstand
3:00 P. M.	3	Break the Bank
3:00 P. M.	10	Fun and Fortune
3.30 P. M.	3	Welcome Travelers
3.30 P. M.	10	Action In the Afternoon
4:00 P. M.	3	Kate Smith
4:00 P. M.	10	Junior HI Jinx
4.30 P. M.	10	Coronation
5 00 P. M.	3	Hopalong Cassidy
5:00 P. M.	6	Movie Matinee
5:30 P. M.	3	Howdy Doody
6:00 P. M.	3	Coronation
6.30 P. M.	6	Ramar of the Jungle
6 45 P. M.	10	Sports
7:00 P. M.	3	Reporter
7.00 P. M.	6	Sports
7:00 P. M.	10	The Big Idea
7:15 P. M.	3	Sports Page
7 15 P. M.	6	News; Weather
7.30 P. M.	10	News
7.30 P. M	3	Dinah Shore Show
7.30 P. M.	6	Beulah
7.45 P. M.	10	Jane Froman's Canteen
7 45 P M	3	News Caravan
8 00 P. M.	3	Star Theater
8 00 P. M.	6	Coronation
8 00 P. M.	10	Film
8.30 P. M.	6	Big Issue
9 00 P. M.	3	Special Program
9:00 P. M	10	City Hospital
9 30 P M	3	Circle Theater
9.30 P. M.	10	Suspense
10:00 P. M.	10	Danger
10:00 P. M.	3	Two for the Money
10 30 P. M.	3	Coronation
10.30 P. M.	10	Death Valley Days
10.30 P M.	6	Stage 5
11:00 P. M	3	Baseball Hall of Fame
11:00 P. M	10	News, Sports, Weather
11 15 P. M.	6	Cinema
11 15 P. M.	10	Sports, Feature Theater

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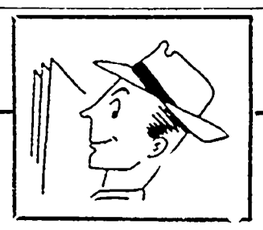

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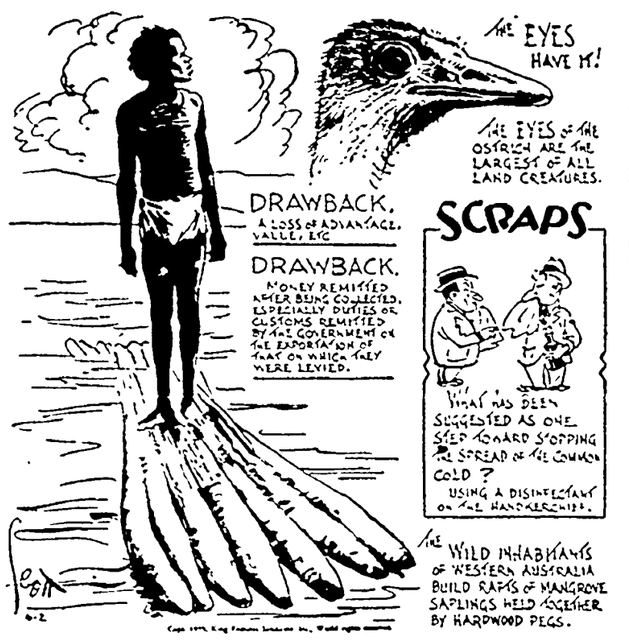

ROOM and BOARD by GENE AHEARN

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TODAY'S CROSSWORD PUZZLE

ACROSS
1. Thin, transparent fabric
6. A dance step
9. Metal
10. Branch of learning
12. Hail!
13. Perform
14. Wagon
15. Headland
17. Perish
19. God of waters (Babyl.)
20. Erbium (sym.)
21. Not closed
23. Speak
24. Trap
26. Needs
28. Thing (Law)
29. Wine receptacle
30. Brag
32. Province (Un. So. Afr.)
35. Warp-yarn
36. Finishes
38. Iron (sym.)
39. Behold!
40. Friar's title
41. Couch
43. Wing-shaped
45. Norse god
47. Turf
48. Certain
49. Oil of rose petals (pl.)
51. Perched
52. Lord (Scot.)

DOWN
1. Rule
2. Simians
3. Out of bed
4. Letter Z (Eng.)
5. Eat away
6. Walk back and forth
7. Constellation
8. Narrow band of color
9. Walking sticks
11. Remains
16. Painful spots
18. Not coastal
22. Plague
23. Begone!
25. Native of Arabia
27. Accumulate
30. Rose-red variety of spinel
31. An attic weight
33. To be able to meet the expense of
34. Guides
37. Of ships of war
40. Worry
42. Eskers
44. Macaw (Braz.)
46. Greek letter
50. Note of the scale

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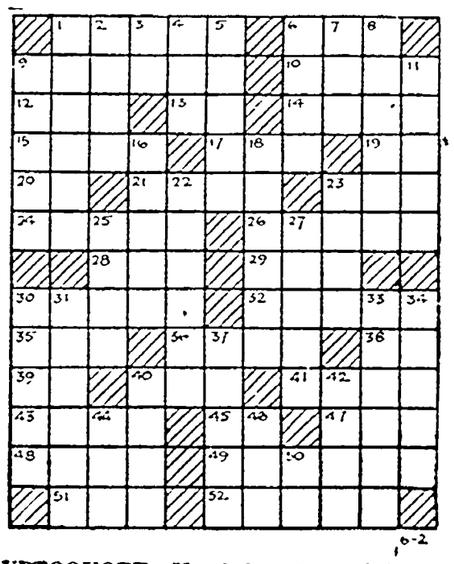

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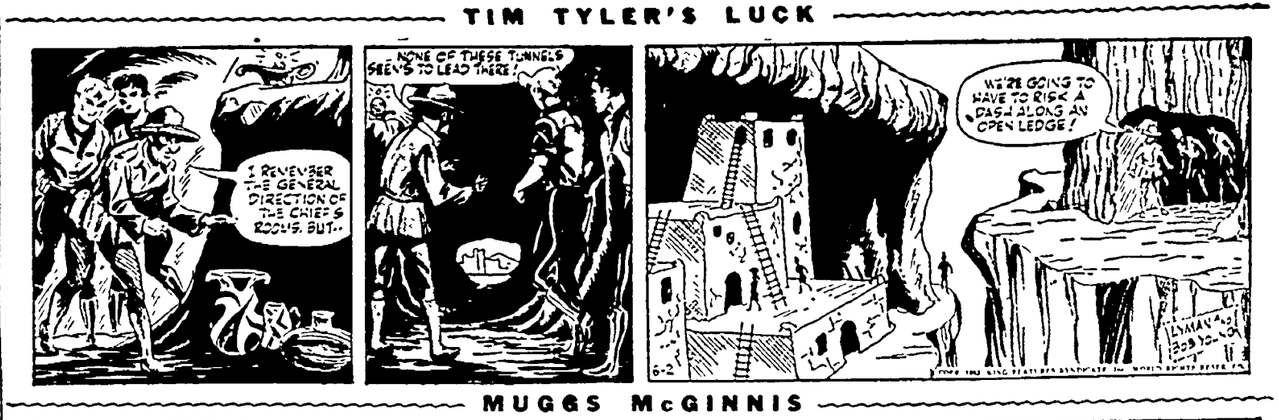

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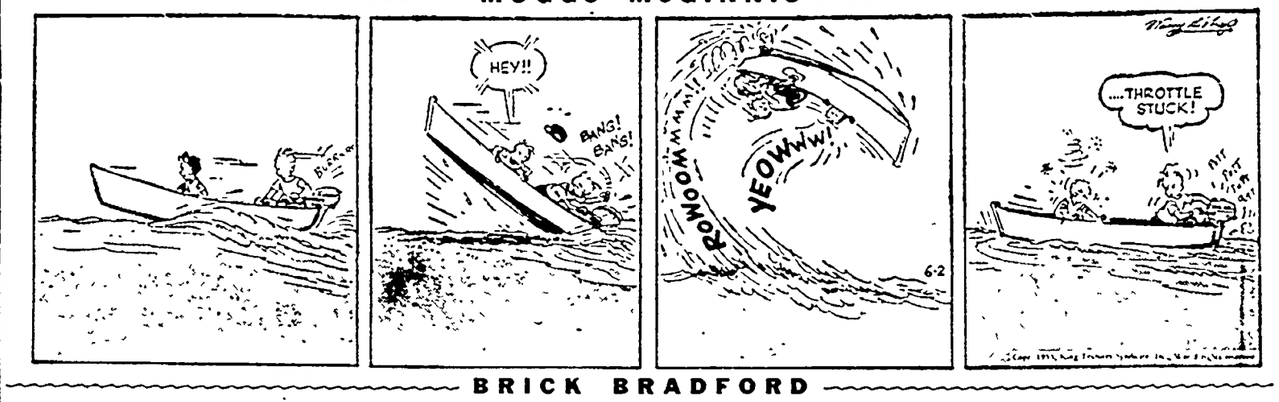

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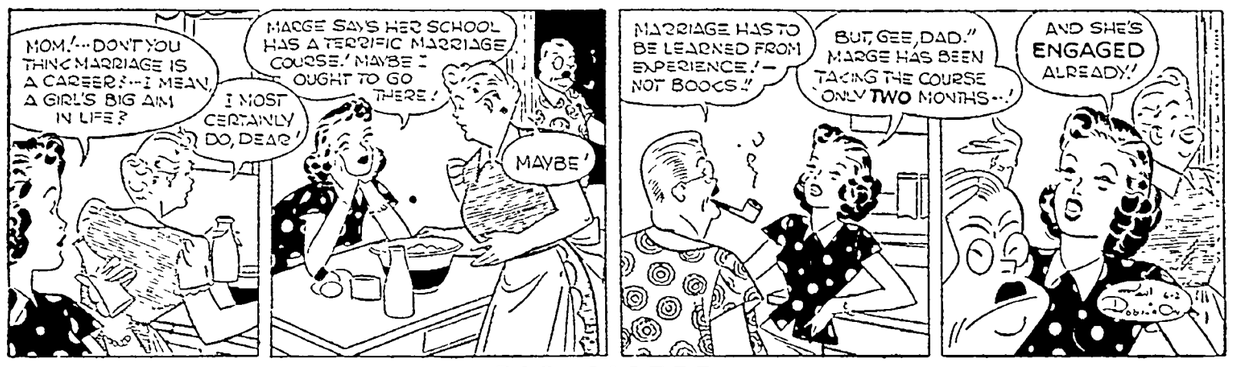

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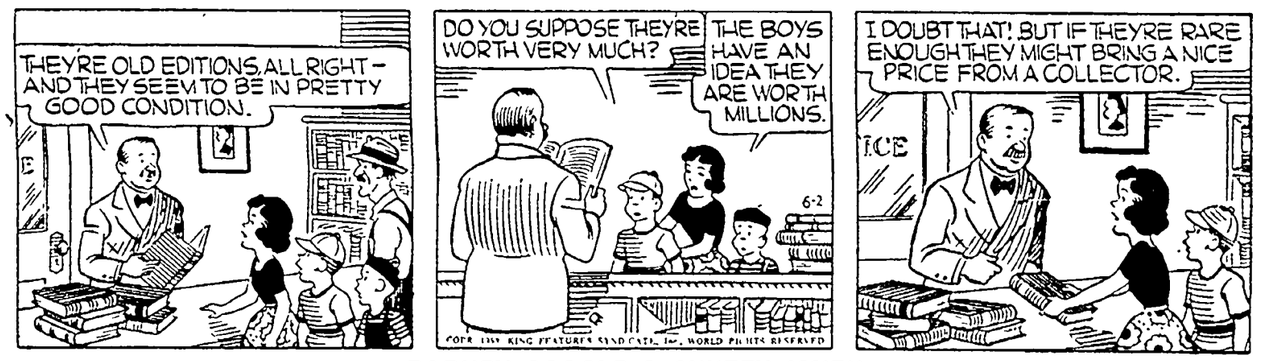

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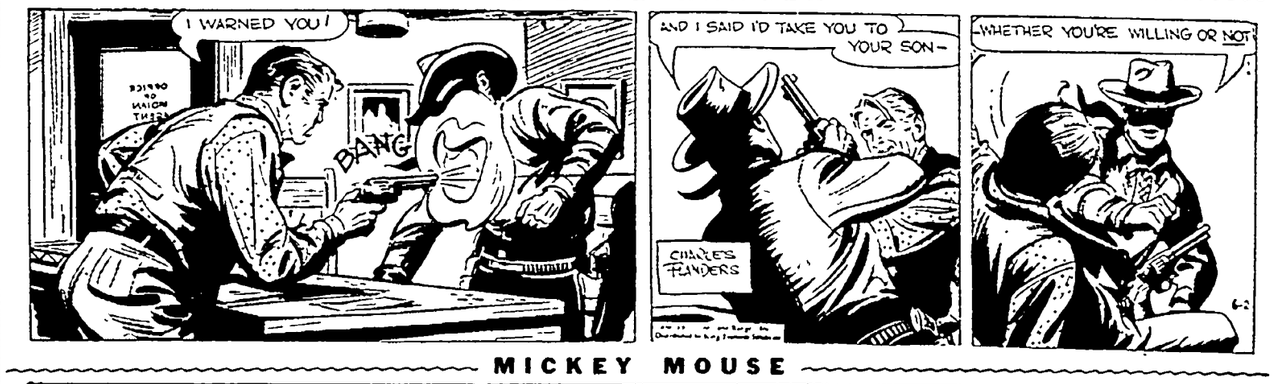

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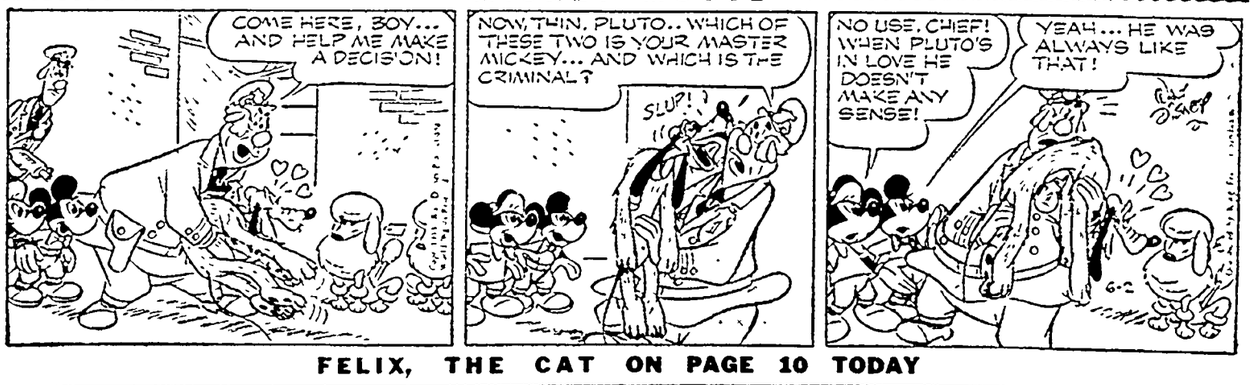

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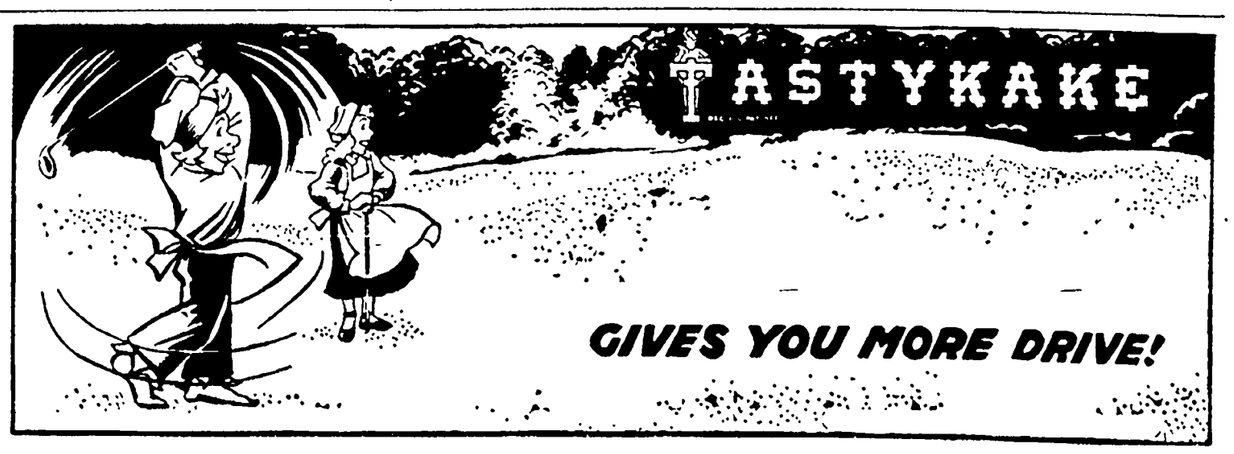

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Upwards of 900 persons attended baccalaureate services for the 111 graduating Seniors of the Boyertown High school held in St. John's Evangelical Lutheran church, Boyertown, on Sunday night.

The main address was delivered by the Rev. Harper L. Schneck, pastor of the Church of the Good Shepherd, Evangelical and Reformed, Boyertown, with the Rev. Dr. David F. Longacre, pastor of the host church, also participating in the service.

Class night for the class will be conducted tonight in the Boyertown High school auditorium and commencement exercises will be held Thursday night.

The class flower is a white carnation tinted green and the class colors are green and white. Their motto is "Launched, but not anchored."

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Rev. David Longacre Holds Baptismal Rites

The Rev. Dr. David F. Longacre, pastor of St. John's Evangelical Lutheran church, Boyertown, performed the baptismal rites for three children on Sunday afternoon.

Nadine Kay Rader, daughter of Curtis H. and Fay A. (Schwager) Rader, Bechtelsville, was baptized at the parsonage. The parents were the sponsors.

Craig Alan Miller, son of Ray M. and Gloria E. (Becker) Miller, Pottstown RD 3, was baptized at the parsonage. The parents were the sponsors.

Diane Eileen Rhoads, daughter of Willard L. and Mabel Y. (Moyer) Rhoads, was baptized at the home of the parents in Gilbertsville. The parents were the sponsors.

Local Girl Maid of Honor For College Roommate

Mary Lou March, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. Ralph March, 414 East Fourth street, Boyertown, was maid of honor at the wedding of Mildred Hake and Robert Dolheimer in Trinity Lutheran church, Wrightsville, near York, on Saturday at 5:30 p. m.

Miss March is a roommate of Miss Hake at West Chester State Teacher's college. Mr. and Mrs. March also attended the wedding.

GROUP CANCELS MEETING

Mrs. J. Clifford Levengood, chairman of the welfare department of the Woman's Club of Boyertown, stated last night that the department meeting, originally scheduled for today, has been canceled.

JAYCEES TO HOLD MEETING

The monthly meeting of the Boyertown Junior Chamber of Commerce will be held tomorrow night at 6:30 o'clock in the American Legion home, Boyertown. All members are urged to attend.

Jet Ace Faces Facts Of Civilian Life Again

MIAMI BEACH, Fla., June 1 (AP)—Capt. Manuel J. Fernandez Jr., the world's second leading jet ace, came up against the hard facts of civilian life today.

He got a parking ticket.

"Mother (Mrs. Effie Fernandez) and I only stopped for a ten minute visit with friends," he explained. "When I came out the car had a parking ticket on it."

New traffic regulations prohibit fixing parking tickets, even for celebrities, so newsmen at city hall took up a collection and paid the $1 fine.

The double jet ace who shot down 14½ MIGs over Korea is resting at a Miami Beach hotel after his welcome home Saturday.

MORE MILK USE ASKED

HARRISBURG, June 1 (AP)—State Agriculture Secretary Miles Horst today called for greater milk consumption in Pennsylvania "for health and to assist in avoiding a surplus."

Councilmen Approve Grading of Alleys at Town Hall Meeting

Boyertown borough council approved an ordinance for the opening, grading and macadamizing of four blocks of alleys at its regular meeting held last night.

The original petition required that 75 percent the property owners sign. The alleys approved are between Washington and Jefferson streets, north and south of and running parallel with Philadelphia avenue.

A report on the Community Center submitted by Mrs. Paul R. Hafer, listed 26 meetings held in the center the past month with 317 persons in attendance.

It was brought out that the board of directors of the Junior Chamber of Commerce and the board of directors and drivers of the Boyertown Lions Community Ambulance corporation also held their meetings there during the past month.

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BURGESS JAMES A. FRITZ urged all residents owning empty lots to cut the grass and weeds on them. The burgess also reported an air raid test to be held tomorrow at 2 p. m.

A request by the Conestoga Telephone company to lay underground conduit from East third street and Reading avenue to Washington street and then across to the first alley north of Philadelphia avenue with all work to be done at the company's expense was approved.

Other reports at the meeting were: Balance in the borough department, $9659; Water department, $8821; with 14 building permits issued; and three delinquent water rents collected, $94.88.

Council aproved paying of interest due June 15 on general obligation bonds amounting to $84.38.

Robert Stauffer, presided at the meeting held in Town Hall at 8 o'clock.

William Grim Estate Beneficiaries Named

Three children and two granddaughters are the beneficiaries of the estate of William A. Grim 41 East Fifth street, Boyertown, under the terms of the will filed at the office of Register Clair M. Price in the Berks county courthouse.

The testator, who died on May 21 at the age of 81 years, left an estate valued at $13,500 in personal property.

Letters were issued to the daughter, Mabel Horn and sons, Leroy S. and Walter S. Grim, executors. The decedent bequeathed to the three children each one-fourth of the estate and to the granddaughters, Dolores and Lorna Grim, each one-eighth of the estate.

CAR OFFERS CLUE —

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been," he said, "but I don't think the burglary at High and Montgomery streets was pulled by the same outfit."

He explained his opinion by bringing out that at the station at Montgomery street, nine tires, four tubes and two rear view mirrors were stolen.

"They could have taken the same kind of merchandise at the other stations," Borgiet commented, "but they didn't. They only took money in the cigaret machine at the High and Adams street station."

The station at High and Montgomery streets is managed by Stanley Bill. The station at High and Adams is managed by W. E. Kinckiner.

Borgiet has only completed preliminary investigations. He was tied up most of the day yesterday with court sessions.

But he thinks that three of the jobs could have been pulled off by the same party.

The fourth station involved, though entrance was not gained, was the Buckwalter and Shaw station, also at High and Adams streets.

Thieves there broke a rear window but couldn't open it because it is a Pullman-type window.

SCENE FROM A COMET—This striking view of the snow-covered Mt. Fuji, Japan's celebrated volcano landmark, was made from a British Overseas Airways Comet jet plane during a flight over the Tokyo area.

$150 Damage Caused In Flash Fire at Seafood Restaurant

An estimated $150 damage was caused yesterday afternoon at 2:40 o'clock by a flash fire in the rear of Charles Tornabene's seafood restaurant at 27 South Charlotte street.

Borough Fire Chief Richard E. Lindauer, who made the damage estimate, said a can of fluid used to clean grease from fans spilled, and the fumes reached the gas hot water heater.

Flames broke a plastic pipe joint and scorched the finish of a big metal sink.

Tornabene said he was able to jump clear without being singed. He called firemen. All three companies responded but did not have to go into service. The flames were extinguished by John Pender, who rushed across the street from his Red's Parking garage with a carbon dioxide extinguisher.

385 Persons Die In Holiday Accidents

By The Associated Press

Violent death struck at a record clip for a Memorial Day weekend in the 54-hour period ended Sunday midnight, claiming 385 lives.

A final tabulation showed 241 died in traffic mishaps 98 drowned and 46 perished from miscellaneous causes.

The death toll swelled at a rate of more than seven victims an hour during the period. This was a higher rate than that in 1950, when an all-time high toll of 571 was taken in the 102-hour, four-day weekend

The unusually high number of drownings accounted for the record. The rate from traffic deaths ran slightly under that of a year ago, when a record high number of 363 died during a 78-hour period.

A heat wave covering the eastern half of the nation was a factor in the toll from drownings.

Brazilian Ship Carrying Gasoline Catches Fire

BELEM, Brazil, June 1 (AP) — The small Brazilian ship Estrela caught fire in the port of Belem tonight, exploding her cargo of gasoline and killing two crewmen. Two others were injured critically.

Damage was estimated at $100,000.

LANCASTER UNDER SURGERY

HOLLYWOOD, June 1 (AP) — Burt Lancaster of the movies was operated on today for removal of a kidney stone at Cedars of Lebanon hospital.

Because of lack of coal and oil 85 percent of Sweden's rail traffic is powered by electricity

North Coventry School Board Adopts Schedule; Classes to Start Sept. 9

Although Wednesday, Sept. 9, seems a long way off, that is when the youngsters of the North Coventry school district will be going back to school.

Decision was made last night by members of the school board at a meeting when a scholastic calendar was adopted for the 1953-1954 school term.

A teachers' meeting was scheduled by the board for Sept. 8. On the next day, Wednesday, there will be half-day morning sessions for Grades one to six and ten to 12.

Grades seven to nine and one to six will attend morning sessions on Sept. 10.

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SCHOOL WILL CLOSE Nov. 26, for Thanksgiving Day holiday, but classes will resume again the following Monday at 8:30 a. m.

The long Christmas recess will start Dec. 22 at 3 p. m. and continue until Jan. 4 at 8:30 a. m.

There will be no days off during February and March, but for two days in April, school will be closed to allow the teachers to attend the Schoolmen's Week program at the University of Pennsylvania. Days off will be April 8 and 9.

The last long recess period for the school year will occur during Easter week when the youngsters will be given days off from April 15 to April 20.

The final day for classes will be June 10.

In accepting the resignation of Mary Jane Moyer, music supervisor during the past year, the board elected Susan J. Phillips to fill the vacancy.

Miss Phillips is a graduate of Muhlenberg township High school and West Chester State Teacher's college.

Supervising Principal Paul H. Grim told board members that the elementary school next year expects to have an increase in enrollment of 54 pupils.

Grim said this was attributed to the fact that he expects to have 95 pupils in Grade one, whereas, this year there were only 65.

He also noted there will be an increase of about 40 youngsters in the Junior and Senior High school group.

Reds Throw Series of Heavy Attacks At Main Allied Positions in Korea

SEOUL, Tuesday, June 2 (AP)—Thousands of Red troops smashed into Allied main line positions early today in a series of heavy attacks on the 155-mile Korean battlefront.

The heaviest fighting in months raged on the eastern front, with the Communists throwing nearly 4000 men into the close-quarter battle.

South Korean and American troops bore the brunt of the assaults on the eastern and east-central sectors.

An Eighth Army staff officer said the eruption on the eastern front was the heaviest fighting in that sector in many months.

Approximately 2500 North Korean Reds smashed against two outposts and four main line positions around Anchor Hill, near the Sea of Japan coast.

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THE REDS overran the outposts and hit two main line positions on Anchor Hill itself, another one to the east of Anchor and another slightly west and south.

South Korean soldiers of the 15th Division broke and beat back the eastern and western attacks but at last reports the fighting still was raging on Anchor Hill.

Another 750 Reds attacked Luke the Gook's Castle and two other main line positions just east of the Castle. They smashed their way into Allied trenches on the Castle terrain.

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SOUTH KOREAN 12th Division troops beat back the attack east of the Castle but failed in their first counterattack against the Reds in the Castle sector. They counterattacked a second time.

Another 750 Reds hits American troops of the US 45th Division on Sandbag Castle in three attacks. Each was stopped at the barbed wire entanglements. American rifle and machine gun crossfire killed at least 28 Reds and wounded 110.

North of the Punchbowl, American defenders fighting hand to hand smashed back a 175-man assault that overran a forward listening post and then swept on to the main line.

The Reds fought their way into the trenches where the Americans hit them with bayonets and clubbed rifles in a bitter 20-minute hand to hand skirmish.

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BETWEEN THE Punchbowl and Anchor Hill another 175 Red Koreans threw a three-pronged attack at two Allied outposts and a main line position. The Reds were beaten back by ROK defenders in an hour and 50 minutes of close range rifle, machine gun and hand grenade fighting.

On the east central front a Chinese Red company of 200 men slammed into Capitol Hill positions but were beaten off by ROK defenders.

Guests Visit Home Of William Schillow

SKIPPACK—Mrs. Thelma Landes, corr. Phone Collegeville 4111. Del. Phone Pottstown 6000.

Recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Schillow, of Forty-Foot road were Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Bauer, Penn Square; Mr. and Mrs. George Kurgan, Evansburg road, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rupley, of Forty-Foot.

The Raymond Henning home on Hallman avenue has recently been purchased by Homer Ziegler, of Rahns, who expects to take possession about July 1.

Mrs. Ida C. Metz was honor guest at a surprise party. Mrs. Metz was 87 years old and is enjoying good health.

Helping her to celebrate were Mr. and Mrs. William Keyser, of Salfordville; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Conrath, Kratz road; Mr. and Mrs. Russell Reitamer, of Bergey; Dr. and Mrs. Henry Groff and daughter Mary, Philadelphia; Mae and Mildred Moyer, of Souderton.

Mrs. Robert Brader of the Nilsson and Bainbridge apartments sustained a compound fracture of the right ankle when she fell while helping her husband with the roof of their future home, which they are building on Store road.

FIRE CHIEF DIES SUDDENLY

KINGSTON, June 1 (AP)—Fire Chief Lee Weir died of a heart attack while driving his car here today. Weir, who was head of the fire department for five years, crashed into a parked automobile. Surviving are his wife and a son, Alex, stationed at Montoursville barracks of the State police.

New Rates Reveal Cost of Living, Dying Go Up in Pottstown

The cost of living—and dying—took small jumps upward yesterday in Pottstown.

For the living, Postmaster J. Alfred Marquet announced that the quarterly charges for rental of lock-boxes in the postoffice would go up, effective July 1.

Five hundred and ten individuals and firms use the service. For the smallest boxes, for personal mail, the charge will rise from $1.50 to $2.25 quarterly. The charge for the drawer boxes used by businesses will rise from $4 to $6.

The first substantial jump for the service in a long time, it is being made as part of a national drive to get charges and costs in balance, Marquet reported.

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THE COST of dying took a jump when Pottstown Cemetery association's board of directors announced that, starting yesterday, there will be a $3 charge for cutting and trimming grass each season on a four-grave lot and $5 for an eight-grave lot.

Directors explained that the fee is being charged to increase the reserve fund and because it wasn't fair to give a service free that had been equal to the service given perpetual care lot holders.

The association is in charge of Pottstown East and West End cemeteries.

Spoon Dropping Predicts Try at 'Party Crashing'

PORTLAND, Me., June 1 (AP)—As Mrs. Simon Glaser poured at her bridge party a spoon hit the floor. A guest gaily remarked it was a "sign" visitors were coming.

A moment later an automobile out of control jumped the curb, ploughed across the Glaser lawn and slammed into the living room wall.

The car occupants were cut and bruised but the party members were unhurt.

WEATHER —

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pointed at the sun and said, "What's that, mommy?"

The weatherman predicted mostly sunny skies for today, with the mercury hovering in the low 70's.

Tomorrow, he added, also will be fair with little change in temperature.

WINS AWARD — Joanne M. Pentz, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Clarence R. Pentz, Pottstown Star Route, won an award at Juniata college, Huntingdon, at commencement exercises yesterday, for being the girl member of the Church of the Brethren who at the college "contributed most to the spiritual welfare of the college." It was given by the church's Middle District of Pennsylvania. She received a Bachelor of Science degree in elementary education. Another area graduate was Wesley E. Diemer Jr., 905 Church street, Royersford, who received his B.S. in music education.

Mrs. Horace Ashenfelter Spends Week With Son

MONT CLARE—Mrs. Thomas Carns, Bridge and Grace street, Mont Clare, corr. Phone Phoenixville 2757. C. Douglas Hale, delivery. Phone Pottstown 31-J-2.

Mrs. Horace Ashenfelter of Kleerveil Farm recently spent a week with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Ashenfelter, 3d, in Glen Ridge, N. J.

Mrs. J. V. Barlow Jr. and daughter Barbara Jane called on Mrs. Thomas Carns, Mont Clare, recently.

Mrs. Robert Carns, Mont Clare, recently was a luncheon guest of her mother, Mrs. Newton Ulmer, Oaks.

The cow may have been first domesticated in Europe.

Obituaries

MRS. LOUISE K. (WHITTLINGER) SCHWARZ, 75, widow of Charles J. Schwarz, died Saturday night at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Hyden, of Mikol Lyndal Acres, PHOENIXVILLE RD 1.

Born in Cleveland, she resided most of her life in Newark, N. J., prior to making her home in Phoenixville. She was a member of Radiant Chapter 7, Order of the Eastern Star.

Surviving are the following children: Charles W., Jersey City, N. J.; Mrs. Martha C. Heller, Spring City; Mrs. Anna M. Aldridge, Spring City; Fred C., Spring City; Mrs. Ethel E. Cope, Maplewood, N. J., and Mrs. Olive S. Hyden, with whom she resided. Also 12 grandchildren, 11 great-grandchildren and a sister, Mrs. Anna Trahman, Irvington, N. J.

Funeral services will be held in Irvington, N. J., tonight. Interment will be made in the Hollywood cemetery, Irvington, tomorrow.

WILLIAM B. DETTERLINE, 75, husband of Amelia (Davis) Custer Detterline, of Midland avenue, TROOPER, died yesterday morning at 3 a. m. in the Sacred Heart hospital, Norristown, where he had been a patient since May 24.

Born in Norristown, he had been a resident of that area all his life. For the past 10 years he was employed as a maintenance employe by Superior Tube company, Evansburg. He was a member of Grace Lutheran church.

In addition to his wife he is survived by the following children: David L., of Trooper; Mrs. Edith Monro, Elverson; Mrs. Ethel Mullin, Wayne; William F., Malvern RD 2; Robert E., Washington Square; Edward K., Syracuse, N. Y., and Mrs. Verna N. Stuffer, Trooper. Twenty-three grand and one great-grandchild and one sister, Mrs. Sadie Trout, Reading, also survive.

Funeral services will be held Thursday at 2 p. m. from a funeral home at 800 West Main street, Norristown, with the Rev. William R. Summer, pastor of Grace Lutheran church, officiating. Interment will be made in the Riverside cemetery.

Funeral services for ROSCOE C. SHINEHOUSE, 338 KING STREET, husband of the late Bertha (Weeb) Shinehouse, were held yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the First Baptist church with the Rev. Laurence T. Beers, pastor, officiating.

Interment was in Edgewood cemetery.

Honorary bearers were all trustees and deacons of the church, Wagner Evans, George A. Mohn, Rupert Miller, George W. Mohn, William Shutt, Amos Ziegler, Robert Petrilla, Harold LeBaron, Clyde Moore and Aaron Yergey.

Bearers were Douglas Nichols, Tilghman E. Hauseman, Edward Good, George Stricker, Earl S. Diemer, and Zenas M. Savage.

Funeral services for DANIEL B. LISENBY JR., four-day-old son of Daniel B. and Mary L. (High) Lisenby, POTTSTOWN STAR ROUTE, Chester county, were conducted yesterday at 11 a. m. from a funeral home at 404 High street.

Officiating was the Rev. John L. Smoker, pastor of Baltzell Evangelical United Brethren church. Interment was in Mount Zion cemetery.

'Friendship Circle' Meeting Held at Home of Janet Weiss

COLEBROOKDALE—Amy Dengler, corr. Mest News Agency, del. Phone Boyertown 7-2341.

The meeting of the "Friendship Circle" was held at the home of Janet and Dorothy Weiss, Engelsville. The topic "Together and Yet Not Together" was read by Janet Weiss. The devotional reading was conducted by Dorothy Weiss. The June meeting will be held at the home of Joyce Gresh.

Games were played and refreshments enjoyed by the following: Joyce Gresh, Esther Wade, Barbara Renninger, Geraldine Walter, Madeline Hertzog, Carol Geiger, Lois Mary Egolf, Patrice Lord, Amy Dengler, Esther Weiss and Janet and Dorothy Weiss

Mrs. Newton Dunn, Lancaster, visited Annie and Amy Dengler. While here Mrs. Dunn and the Misses Dengler attended class reunions at State Teacher's college, Kutztown.

Mary Ann Adam's returned home from Kutztown where she completed her first year at State Teacher's college.

A festival will be held at the Colebrookdale school grounds by the Colebrookdale PTA on Friday night.

COUNCIL UNIT —

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clogged drain just off the Madison street bridge.

Members voted to limit curb cuts at the new Firestone Tire and Rubber company retail store at High street and Firestone boulevard to 50 feet.

Gulden asked the committee to study the plans as a matter of safety.

Added to the street improvement program will be Grace street from Franklin to Washington streets, Adams street from Wilson to Prospect streets, and Prospect street from Feist to Hanover streets.

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Fowl-Colored	33	30	31
Pullets, under 4	34	33	33½
Roasters-Col.	33	29½	32
C'pts-Cpn Slp.			
over 5	47	32½	41
under 5	35	28	31
Broilers-Leg.	23	23	23
Geese	18½	17	18

Total Crates Sold—86.

Eggs

WHITE—	High	Low	Ave.
Extras Large	63	54½	58¼
Extras Medium	53	51	53½
Standard Large	56	53½	54¾
Stand. Medium	50½	49	49¾
Pullets	48½	43½	46¼
Peewees	34	32	33
BROWN—			
Extras Large	63	55	58
Extras Medium	52	50½	51½
Standard Large	55½	54½	55
Stand. Medium	51	50½	50¾
Pullets	46½	43½	45¼
Peewees	33	27½	30½
Jumbo	86	82	83
Ducks	47½	47½	47½

Total Cases Sold—523.

..PHILADELPHIA PRODUCE

PHILADELPHIA, June 1 (P) — (USDA—Trading was only fair for a Monday on the wholesale produce market today. Asparagus: N. J. crates dozen bunches $1.75a 5.25. Lettuce: N. J. eastern and misc. crates Iceberg 24s 50ca$2.50; 1 3/5 bu. crates romaine $1.25. Strawberries: N. J. qt. 20a50c. Spinach: Pa. and N. J. bu. $1.00a 25 Cabbage: N. J. 1 3/5 bu. crates domestic $1.25a50. Radishes: N. J lugs 24s $1.00. 4/5 bu. crates White Icicles 75ca$1.00; Pa. lugs 24s-25s 75ca$1.00. Rhubarb: bunch Pa. 3a4 cents. N. J. 3a5 cents. Green onions: bunch N. J. 2a5 cents. Pa. 3 cents. Parsley: N. J. bu. curly $2.25a50, plain $1.50. Tomatoes: Pa. hothouse 8-lb. baskets $1.50a3.00; 15-lb. baskets $5.50. Mushrooms: Pa. 4-qt. baskets 50ca$2.00. Beets: N. J. bunches 7a10 cents. Pa 7a8 cents. Cauliflower: Long Is. 1 3/5 bu. crates 9s $1.50a75. Greens: bushels: collards N. J. and Pa. 75ca $1.00; dandelion N. J. 1.00. Pa. ⅝ bu. baskets $1.00; Hanover Salad and turnip tops Pa. and N. J. 65a75c; kale Pa. and N. J. 75ca$1.00; escarole N. J. 75ca$1.00, few crates $1.75. Swiss chard: Pa 75c.

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WHITE—	High	Low
Fancy Large	60	56
Fancy Medium	55	55
Extras Large	60	54½
Extras Medium	53	50½
Standard Large	55	51½
Standard Medium	50	47½
Pullets	48	44
Pee Wees	34	32
BROWN—		
Fancy Large	62	56
Fancy Medium	54	53
Extras Large	61	55
Extras Medium	52	50½
Standard Large	54	51½
Standard Medium	48½	48½
Pullets	47	44
Pee Wees	34	30

Total—1905

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Deaths 1

HUNSINGER — On Saturday, May 30, 1953. Mary Jane (Longwell), wife of Frank P. Hunsinger, aged 83 years. Funeral Wednesday, June 3, at the convenience of the family from the White Memorial Home. Interment in St. Michael's cemetery, Birdsboro. Friends may call at the Memorial Home on Tuesday evening. 7 to 8:30. (White)

HOLMAN—In Phoenixville hospital, on Sunday, May 31, 1953, Orelia S. Holman, wife of F. Warren Holman, aged 65 years. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral from the Nelson Funeral Home, 331 New St., Spring City, on Thursday at 2 p. m. Interment Vincent Mennonite cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral home Wednesday evening 7 to 9.

BALDWIN — On Friday, May 29, 1953. Robert J. Baldwin, son of Mrs. Icie D. Baldwin, of 104 King St., age 43 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the services from Wilson Funeral Home, 711 N. Franklin St., on Tuesday, June 2, 1953 at 2 p. m. Interment in Mt. Zion cemetery. Friends may call Monday evening 7 to 8:30. (Wilson)

Card of Thanks 2

SHINEHOUSE

The family of the late Roscoe C. Shinehouse desires to thank its kind neighbors and friends for the assistance and sympathy, the floral tributes and use of cars offered during their recent bereavement.

In Memoriam 3

HOEL Robert L.—In loving memory of our dear son who passed away two years ago today.

Deep in our hearts a memory is kept
Of the one loved, and shall never forget.

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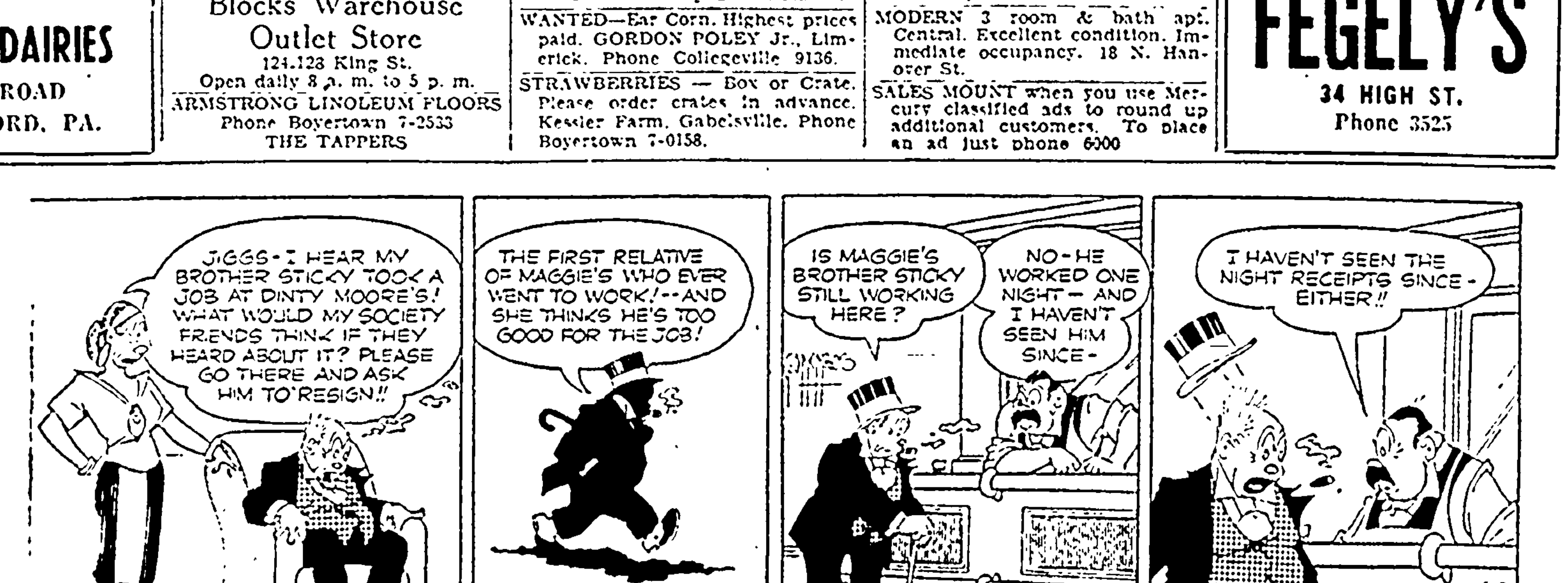

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LEGION POST 47 PLANS ELECTION ON JUNE 18

List of Nominees Disclosed After Meeting

Nominations of officers for the coming year were made public last night by George A. Amole Post 47, American Legion, after the regular meeting.

A spokesman said that election of the new officers will take place from 1 to 8 p. m. on June 18.

Those nominated include:

Robert C. Weller, commander; Robert Breidenbach, first vice commander; Russell Benner and A. W. Millard, second vice commander; Joseph H. Burdan; finance officer; Ralph Guest, adjutant; Harry J. Ginther, service officer; the Rev. Dr. Luther A. Krouse, chaplain; A. W. Millard, assistant chaplain; Ray Jachowski and John Perman, sergeant at arms; Raymond Kepner and John Hospador, athletic officer, and J. Russell Reifsneider, post historian.

Named to the executive committee were J. Russell Reifsneider, C. R. Fox, Walter Hutt, Clarence H. Renoll, H. Wilson, H. Jones, Harold Eppehimer, and Robert Heffner.

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DELEGATES TO the national convention include Robert Weller, Elmer Haas, Clarence H. Renoll, H. Jones, Norman John, Harold Eppehimer, W. Wagner, Robert Breidenbach, Russell Benner, Ray Jachowski, Edward Peirman, John Suchoza, Joseph Burdan, James Gleason, Leonard Rachild, C. R. Fox, James Kelly, E. Newton and Andrew Tirpak.

Members attending last night's meeting saw a film of the past years national convention of the Legion in New York city.

On Sunday at 2 p. m. members of Post 47 will take part in the ceremonies dedicating the new Lower Pottsgrove township war veterans memorial.

TO RECEIVE DEGREE — Shirley Jayne Wendel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Wendel, 1315 Queen street, will receive a Bachelor of Arts degree in biology at graduation exercises Thursday at Cedar Crest college, Allentown. A graduate of Pottstown Senior High school, she was president of Alpha and Omega Science club and was active in English, philosophical and athletic organizations, and on the YWCA commission.

Synagog Board Airs Adding More Pupils

Plans for increasing the enrolment of pupils in the synagog school were discussed at the regular meeting of Congregation Mercy and Truth's synagog board last night.

President Joseph Marion conducted the meeting at the synagog, which was attended by 35 board members.

He said after the meeting that the board hopes to have increased facilities and more pupils in the school when the Fall term begins.

The school is located across Warren street from the synagog, on the corner of High and Warren.

Cleaning of Plugged Storm Gutters Set

Schwenksville councilmen last night voted to clean out storm gutters plugged by the weekend storm.

The work will be done at the earliest opportunity.

Schwenksville has no highway department and must contract for all road work.

Chief Theodore Berry made his monthly report at the two-hour session in borough hall.

President Oscar Vogt was in charge.

Local Man Caught For Dumping Trash

A resident of Pottstown was apprehended recently for dumping rubbish on Yarnall road, Upper Pottsgrove, it was reported last night at the meeting of the township supervisors.

Name of the person apprehended was not revealed.

The supervisors reported only that he lived in the 900 block of Washington street. They said it was not the policy of the board to divulge any names on cases of this type.

The supervisors also let contracts last night to the Birdsboro Slag company and the Croasdale Oil company for materials to blacktop Hanover street.

President George W. Needhammer conducted the meeting in the consolidated school. All board members were present.

EAST COVENTRY ROAD WORK SET

Supervisors Say Job May Begin This Month

East Coventry supervisors last night reported work on 1.5 miles of new road probably will begin this month.

Two construction projects were approved at a previous meeting. Hardtop will be built on the unpaved road from Stirley's farm to Porter's mill. A second section will be paved from a point one-quarter mile past Porter's mill toward Route 100. Each project represents three quarters of a mile.

The section between the two projects is in South Coventry township.

Supervisors reported cutting of grass along the edge of township roads is in progress.

The township road crew has been cleaning storm debris from dirt roads.

Supervisors Joseph T. Pennick, J. Harold Atkinson and Morison Blake and Secretary Mrs. William Pennypacker attended the session in East Coventry school.

Stowe Man Pleads Guilty To Charge of Bastardy

By Staff Correspondent

NORRISTOWN, June 1—Carl C. Testa, of Elm street, Stowe, pleaded guilty to charges of fornication and bastardy in Criminal court yesterday and was sentenced by Judge George C. Corson to pay lying-in expenses of $186 and $7.50 a week towards the support of a child.

The charges were brought by a Pottstown girl.

HE'LL GRADUATE — Timothy P. Cain, son of Mr. and Mrs. James S. Wilke, 381 North Charlotte street, will be graduated Sunday from the University of Notre Dame near South Bend, Ind., it was announced yesterday. Cain attended St. Aloysius parochial school before attending high school in Reading. He majored in advertising at Notre Dame, has secured a job with Reuben Donnelly corporation in Washington, D. C.

SCHOOL BOARD OKAYS BUDGET FOR NEXT YEAR

Lower Pottsgrove Tax To Remain at 27 Mills

The school tax rate will continue to be 27 mills for esidents of Lower Pottsgrove this year.

At the regular meeting of the Lower Pottsgrove school board last night, which all members attended, a budget of $165,203.50 received final approval.

The budget, a little higher than last year's, will mean no increase in the tax rate, according to Francis Donnon, president of the school board.

Funds will be raised, as in the past year, by a 27 mill property tax, a $5 per capita tax, a 100 mill occupation tax and a 10 percent amusement tax.

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THE BUDGET has been approved for advertising!

In other routine business, the contract for school supplies was awarded to Harry F. Keene, Pottstown, the low bidder, Donnon said.

A representative of the Pottstown Citizen's bank outlined a savings plans that the pupils might take part in and the board took it under consideration.

The members also discussed various ways of insuring school buildings and school property but didn't take any action on the question.

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THE BOARD will meet again this month, on the 29th, to close out business for the fiscal year.

The June 29 meeting will take the place of the regular July meeting, scheduled for July 6, unless special business comes up, the board president concluded.

Boy Escapes Injury In Bicycle Collision

Fred Maraffie, 10-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Maraffie, 1105 Queen street, apparently escaped without injury when his bicycle collided with a car on South Rohland street yesterday.

He made a wide turn from an alley onto Rohland street. The car was driven by Robert Dorang, 605 South Reading avenue. The 10-year-old was given a checkup at Memorial hospital's dispensary.

Building Plans Set By Limerick Firemen

Members of Limerick Fire company will begin work on the grounds outside the company building tomorrow night in preparation to laying a foundation for a kitchen.

President George Brimmer made the announcement last night at a meeting of company personnel.

In congratulating the fire police and the firemen for their co-operation during a barn fire Friday night at Limerick and Schwenksville road, Brimmer thanked each personally.

The company voted to purchase six pairs of coveralls for the firemen.

In addition to the barn fire, Miller also reported one grass fire.

REV. KRAUSS —

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New Hanover; Winifred, wife of Claude Freed, Red Hill; Alberta, wife of Howard Slotter, East Greenville; May, wife of Morgan Kepner, Blanchester, Ohio; Virginia, wife of Edwin Gantzhorn, Tennersville; and Frederick K., Auburn.

A sister, Mrs. Flora Urffer, Coopersburg; two brothers, the Rev. Robert H. Krauss, Hellertown; and Wallace, Krausdale; and 20 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Funeral services will be held on Friday at 2 p. m. in St. Paul's Lutheran church, Red Hill. Interment will be made in the adjoining cemetery.

Lower Pottsgrove Board Meets in Sanatoga Hall

No important business was discussed at last night's meeting of the Lower Pottsgrove road supervisors in the Sanatoga Fire company hall.

John Saylor, supervisor, said that routine bills were paid and that the regular monthly report was made by the police chief.

ENTERS ARMY—Army Pvt. James E. Pugh, 20-year-old son of James E. Pugh, Schwenksville RD 1, has arrived at the reception center at Ft. Meade, Md., where he will receive his initial indoctrination into the Army.

RUBBER UNION TO VOTE TODAY

Polls Open at 6 A. M.; Will Close at Midnight

Members of Firestone Local 336, United Rubber Workers (CIO), will begin balloting for a full slate of officers at 6 o'clock this morning.

Polls at the plant will remain open until midnight tonight. Ballot boxes then will be locked and the election committee will count ballots tomorrow.

Toughest contest in the election is expected in the race for presidency where three opponents have been lined up against incumbent Robert E. Garber.

Jerry E. Rutter, former secretary and vice president of the local and current member of the executive board; William E. McCoy, former vice president, and William Cadaret, department steward, and a former member of the teamsters union, are battling to defeat Garber, who is seeking his sixth term.

A second tight race is expected for treasurer where Elwood "Woody" Sellers, member of the executive board, and Charles Dasch are opponents. They are battling for the post to be vacated by Margaret Houck.

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SIXTEEN candidates are opposed in the wide-open race for seven executive board posts.

Rutter, originator of the first dance, children's Christmas party, annual banquet and Delaware river boat trip at the plant, is campaigning on a platform to reduce the presidency from a full-time job to a part-time proposition.

He recently has completed a factory management-labor relations course. He has said he would provide an entertainment program at a "reasonable" rate.

He has stated, "I will endeavor to bring about better relations between management and the union, and I will make committee appointments on length of service and ability."

Garber is standing firm on a platform of his achievements for the rubber workers during his tenure as president.

Cadaret and McCoy are running on "its-time-for-a-change" platforms.

Cadaret said he is running solely because he is opposed to "practices" of the union in past years.

Fender Guard Lost In Minor Accident

Two persons were involved in a minor accident yesterday afternoon on South Charlotte street between High and Queen streets.

Doris J. Yerger, Linden apartments, collided with another car operated by George E. Yost, Douglassville, at 2:45 p. m.

The accident occurred on South Charlotte street, between High and Queen streets, as the Yost car was backing up to park and the Yerger car tried to go around it.

A fender guard on the Yerger car was pulled off, but no damage was caused to the Yost car.

SOUTH COVENTRY SCHOOL BOARD DROPS TAX RATE

Nine-Mill Decrease Called for in New Levy

A decrease of nine mills in the school district's real estate tax was approved last night by the South Coventry school board.

The new levy calls for an 18 mill real estate tax. This is a drop of nine mills. The past year's figure was 27 mills.

In adopting a budget of $14,330 for the school year 1953-1954, the board also levied a $5 per capital and a $5 personal tax, together with a 1 percent real estate transfer.

Reason for the board's action in dropping the millage rate is the fact that assessments are up in the township. Property assessments have jumped in a one-year period from $425,000 to $825,000.

President of the Board Harry Symons instructed the property committee to paint the rooms of Grades five and six in the elementary building. When the painting is completed new desks will be installed.

It was also pointed out that pupils of the Junior and Senior High school will attend North Coventry High school next year as tuition pupils.

NEWSTIPS —

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dent. He called at 6:15 a. m. Another cash bonus prize was won by John Fleming, 407 Walnut street, Royersford, who called at 7:45 a. m. about a tractor trailer that tipped over onto Collegeville bridge.

So don't waste time asking yourself, "I wonder if The Mercury's open?" when you hear of news. Just call 6000 (The Mercury switchboard). He who hesitates may lose out on the easy extra cash the judges will pass out again next week.

REV. HOOVER —

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the Rev. and Mrs. Donald T. Floyd. He is pastor of Trinity EC church.

The Rev. Martin J. Brinton, chairman of the association's committee on the Pottstown Senior High school baccalaureate service, made a brief report.

3000 WORKERS STRIKE

WAYNESBURG, June 1 (AP) — About 3000 workers struck today at the Vesta 4 and 5 mines of Jones and Laughlin Steel corporation protesting the furloughing of 490 men.

A POTTSTOWN BROTHER and sister who are being graduated within a week of each other are Hazel Lucille Smale and Harold Laverne Smale, whose parents are Mr. and Mrs. George D. Smale, 617 North Charlotte street. He was graduated yesterday from Ursinus college with a bachelor of arts degree in business administration. She will be graduated Monday from Reading Business institute as medical secretary, a post she will take with Dr. Jesse G. Hafer, Pottstown physician. The brother who is in his father's business, Smale's printery, will enter the Navy July 13, going to the officer training school at Newport, R. I. Both are Pottstown Senior High school graduates—he in 1949; she in 1951.

Brownback 4-H Club Entertains Lionville's

The agricultural 4-H club of Brownback's Reformed church entertained the Twin Valley 4-H club of Lionville last night.

More than 60 persons watched a softball game between the two clubs and saw an educational film on vegetable insects.

After a trip to the Congo valley, the group was served refreshments. Ward Stover, Chester county agent, was in charge. Barbara Caldwell is president of the Ridgeville club and Mrs. William Keeler, leader.

Elks Schedule Initiation Of 7 New Members

Plans to initiate seven new members were laid at the meeting of Lodge 814, Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, last night.

The 67 members attending also completed plans for the Knee-Hi baseball team they will sponsor, and discussed the national convention that will be held in St. Louis, Mo., in July.

Exalted Ruler Kenneth Fleischmann, who presided, said the lodge would hold public Flag Day ceremonies after its next meeting.

Stowe Health Board Sets Final Building Inspections

Final inspection of Stowe properties with condemned outhouses will be made this week, it was announced by Health Officer Daniel Wien after the meeting of the health board last night.

All of the condemned buildings will have to be either closed permanently or eliminated by that time, the officer said.

Three cases of measles were reported for the past month during the meeting.

Two New Teachers Picked by Board At Warwick School

Warwick school board last night elected two teachers for the 1953-54 term.

Walter W. Price, 822 Washington street, a 1953 graduate of West Chester State Teachers college, has been hired as music teacher for the district.

Nancy Jane Wagoner, Lyndell, Upper Uwchlan township, was elected English teacher for the next school term. She was graduated from West Chester this past January.

The board purchased 50 new desks for the High school, gave final approval to the 1953-54 budget and adopted a school calendar. School will open on Sept. 2.

President Albert Painter was in charge of the meeting in the High school.

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of Perkiomen, a school of many great traditions."

Among the honor graduates was John Roberts, son of headmaster and Mrs. Stephen Roberts, Perkiomen, who won awards for scholarship, extracurricular activity and progress in science. He was class salutatorian. Michael Donegan, Nesquehoning, was valedictorian.

The invocation was given by the Rev. Lester Kriebel, school chaplain, and the benediction by Dr. Calvin M. DeLong, pastor of the host church, which is celebrating its 250th anniversary this year.

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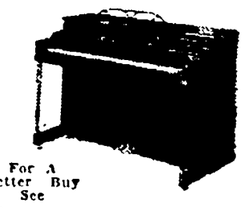
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British Expedition Plants Union Jack on Mt. Everest As 'Coronation Gift' for Queen; Two Men Reach Summit

MT. EVEREST CONQUERED—The world's highest peak, more than 29,000 feet high has been conquered by a British team of climbers. The party reached the mist-shrouded peak after two earlier attempts within a month had failed.

PEAK IS SCALED ON THIRD TRY

Party Wins Heroic Fight In Now-or-Never Climb

LONDON, June 1 (AP)—A British expedition has climbed hitherto unscaled Mt Everest, the world's highest peak, planting the Union Jack on the icy peak as a coronation "gift" for Queen Elizabeth II, Buckingham palace announced tonight.

Word that the party, fighting the snows and icy blasts on the world's rooftop, had reached their goal in a third attempt within a month reached the palace tonight, a spokesman said. The dramatic news was relayed to the Queen as final preparations were made to crown her in Westminster Abbey Tuesday.

The conquering party of mountain climbers, who succeeded where 10 previous formally organized expeditions had failed, was headed by Col. John Hunt. Reports reaching London from Hunt said two men of his party—New Zealander E. P. Hillary and a famous Sherpa tribesman guide, Tensing Bhutia—had reached the more than 29,000-foot-high snow-peaked summit May 29.

Hunt's message said "All is well."

RELIABLE BUT unconfirmed reports from Katmandu, Nepal, reaching London via New Delhi, India, earlier today said the British party had failed in two attempts in late May to climb the mist-shrouded peak, where snow, ice, and bone-chilling winds had thwarted many other efforts to scale it.

Earlier reports had said that if the Britons succeeded in another try, word of their success would be withheld until coronation eve.

Prime Minister Churchill was told the news at his 10 Downing street residence.

New Zealand Premier S. G. Holland, here for the coronation, said:

"Naturally, I am extremely proud that a New Zealand member of the team has been the first Britisher to conquer Everest."

Holland—added the hope that "this terrific example of tenacity" would be a coronation year symbol "that there are no heights or difficulties which the British people cannot overcome."

THE HUNT EXPEDITION won a heroic fight to reach the peak in a now-or-never climb before the June-October monsoon season set in with increased winds and roaring avalanches.

A year ago Ramon Lambert, famed Swiss Alpinist toeless from the frosts of a previous Everest attempt, climbed higher than any other man that has lived to tell the tale. He got within 900 feet of the top, where high winds hurled stones and chunks of jagged ice at him like bullets.

In a second attempt last year after the monsoon season had ended, Lambert was forced back in November when he was even farther from his goal. Defeat came that time as he was crossing the jagged south pass ridge leading to the final summit mass. With the Swiss climber on this heartbreaking unsuccessful second attempt was Tensing Bhutia, who is known as the "Tiger Sherpa."

Lambert discovered in his climbs that a 30-foot thumb of ice barred the final gateway from south pass ridge to the crest. One of the dramatic tales which Hunt's party will bring back doubtless will be how the two victorious climbers negotiated this obstacle.

ONE REASON for the long delays in news from the Hunt expedition was the fact the climbers forgot a key piece of equipment—a radio transmitter. They took along every other known modern device for mountain climbing, including new oxygen apparatus, for use in the rarified Himalayan heights, and newly-designed mortars to blast away overhanging ice shelves that might send avalanches crashing into their paths. They had radio receiving sets to keep them posted on weather developments.

Enthusiasts Jubilant That Mt. Everest Beaten on 11th Attempt in 32 Years

NEW DELHI, June 1 (AP)—First reports from London of the scaling of Mt. Everest caught New Delhi sleeping.

Himalayan enthusiasts were jubilant that Everest at last has yielded to man's 11th endeavor in 32 years.

Enthusiasm was all the greater here because Col. John Hunt's team had failed in two earlier attempts. Unconfirmed reports from Katmandu, capital of Nepal, had indicated the expedition was planning to return in the first week in June before the monsoon struck.

Himalayan experts said that Hunt, despite the two earlier failures, might have "caught Everest napping."

One British member of the Himalayan club, awakened to hear the news, jumped from bed cheering.

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"I SHOULD HAVE been in London now to enjoy the double occasion—the coronation and the Everest success," he said.

The news of the Everest success was the talk of every coronation gathering in the Indian capital.

The government of India did not declare today a holiday but lifted, in honor of the coronation, restrictions which make every Tuesday a dry day here.

The yogi who on Sunday announced plans for a "new spiritual conquest" of the world's summit, said today Hunt's success in no way interfered with his plans.

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"OURS IS an entirely new approach—the correction approach—to reach Chomolungma (goddess mother of world) and it stands despite the success of a thousand other Colonel Hunts," he declared.

Local Himalayan circles said Hunt's success would not mean an end to Everest climbs. "Hunt's success does not take away the thrill of reaching the world's summit and this fight between man and nature must go on," they said.

They added that many factors have yet to be surveyed, including the actual height of Everest and weather conditions around the year.

Judge Again Refuses To Spare Lives of Doomed Atom Spies

NEW YORK, June 1 (AP) — The sentencing judge once more today refused to spare the lives of atom spies Julius and Ethel Rosenberg, and grimly warned that their time is running out.

Speaking of future motions to stay the first execution of its kind in American history, Federal Judge Irving R. Kaufman told the defense:

"I would suggest that you bring on everything you have with dispatch."

Judge Kaufman last week set a new date for execution of the husband-wife spy team—the week of June 15, probably the night of Thursday, June 18.

Meanwhile, the US Court of Appeals reserved decision on another new plea to void the death sentence against the pair. The Appeals court in the past has refused to set aside the death sentence.

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JUDGE KAUFMAN denied one motion to set aside the Rosenbergs' death sentence and give them 20 years in prison instead. He also refused any further stay of execution.

The Rosenbergs were sentenced to death two years ago for conspiring to transmit atom secrets to Soviet Russia in a period from 1944 to 1950. Numerous appeals have delayed their execution.

The Supreme court three times has refused to intervene in the Rosenberg case. The Appeals court twice refused and on the third time granted a stay of execution pending the final Supreme court appeal.

President Eisenhower also has refused clemency for the Rosenbergs.

Their best chance of escaping Sing Sing prison's electric chair remains a complete confession of spying activities. However, the Rosenbergs insist they are innocent and have nothing to confess.

Death of Bethlehem Girl Investigated

LOS ANGELES, June 1 (AP)—Police today investigated the death of 23-year-old Mary Jane Reph, formerly of Bethlehem, Pa.

The girl who worked as a carhop was found dead Friday night in the trailer home of Mrs. Laura Piquette, 45. Mrs. Piquette was booked on suspicion of murder.

Police said that Mary Jane was pregnant.

They quoted Mrs. Piquette, a secretary, as telling them, "I am psychic. A lot of people come to me with their troubles. Sometimes I am sorry I am psychic—people are always asking me for information."

She said that Mary Jane, whom she had known for about six months, came to her trailer Friday night for a "social visit," and later complained of stomach pains. She fainted, the woman said, and by the time an ambulance arrived was dead.

5 Members of Family Wiped Out in Crash

MARENGO, Ill., June 1 (AP)—Five members of a family were wiped out today when a car collided head on with a truck which then burst into flames and was destroyed.

The only survivor in the car was the driver and head of the family, Layernon Bauscher, 28, of Lena, Ill., who State police said apparently fell asleep at the wheel.

Dead were his wife, Doris Louise, 26, their daughters, Bonnie Louise, 7, and Julie Ann, 3, and their sons, Michael John, 6, and David, 4.

Bauscher suffered from concussion and a broken leg but was taken to a Belvidere hospital where doctors expect him to recover.

The truck driver, Ben Connelly, 58, of Roscoe, Ill., who was driving a semi-trailer truck loaded with chemicals, escaped with minor injuries.

Eisenhower Names Two To Government Posts

WASHINGTON, June 1 (AP) — President Eisenhower today nominated John C. Hughes, head of a New York textile firm, to be US representative on the North Atlantic council with the rank of ambassador.

Eisenhower also sent to the Senate the nomination of Raymond Henry Fogler, president and director of the W. T. Grant company chain store firm, to be an assistant secretary of the Navy.

LOCAL NOTICES

No office hrs. June 5 to June 9, incl. Dr. R. H. Merkel, 860 High.

Rummage sale today and Wed., 9 to 4, Moose hall, Amer. Leg. Aux.

Alice E. Sheppard, M. D., will be out of town June 1 to 11, inclusive.

Rummage sale, Searles church, today, June 2, 8 to 4.

CIGAR-SMOKING ESCORT—Princess Margaret Rose wears a quizzical expression as she stops smoking her long-holdered cigaret to watch the smoking of a king-sized cigar by her escort at a charity ball in London, Jeremy Tree, great-grandson of a Chicago merchant prince. Other partner is Marquess of Blandford.

JOYFUL HYSTERIA HITS LONDON

Hundreds of Thousands Cheer Conquest Of Everest

LONDON, Coronation Day, June 2 (AP)—Roaring, cheering crowds in the hundreds of thousands jammed the gorgeously panoplied streets of London this morning as coronation day broke clear and cold.

Bright stars shone down, breaking through rain clouds which last night had drenched the loyal throngs waiting to cheer their beauteous Queen as she rides today in a golden coach to her crowning in Westminster Abbey.

Reports from Buckingham palace said the Queen approached her great moment in a calm, serene mood which contrasted strongly with the joyous hysteria sweeping her capital city.

Just before midnight she received a most unusual "coronation gift"—news that a British expedition had conquered the world's highest mountain, Everest reaching 29,002 feet above the snowy Himalays on the Nepal-Tibet frontier.

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AS THIS NEWS reached London, the thermometer read 46 degrees and some of those waiting for the procession to start wrapped themselves in heavy blankets and stretched out on the pavement to doze fitfully.

Hour by hour more thousands poured in by coronation time fully three million persons are expected to be packed tight along the procession route.

Few, except the very young and the old, slept.

Sandwich vendors and newspaper hawkers did lively trade and the news that Mt. Everest has been conquered spread rapidly.

"We did it, we did it," shouted many, slapping each other on the back.

Impromptu cheerleaders quickly took over the called for three cheers for the dauntless British mountain climbers.

"What a coronation day gift for the Queen," was the joyous comment of many.

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DEEP-THROATED roars of "we want the Queen" rose from the throngs outside the palace. The crowds there reached 50,000 at times.

But the Queen and her family did not appear.

Fine Dismisses William C. Brown On Order Halting Hospital Admissions

HARRISBURG, June 1 (AP)—Gov. John S. Fine today dismissed Welfare Secretary William C. Brown and his top aide, M. William Denison, executive deputy welfare secretary.

The Governor said Brown "destroyed his usefulness" in ordering no new admissions to State institutions for 30 days because of a lack of departmental funds.

Brown, blaming Democratic influence on the Governor for his firing, described himself as a martyr in the fight to seek adequate appropriations for State institutions.

A short time later Fine named Edwin S. Ervin of Shiremanstown, Cumberland county, as deputy secretary and acting head of the department. Ervin was comptroller of the department's accounting division.

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BROWN AND Democratic lawmakers carried on a running verbal battle for three weeks over the operation of the Welfare department. He said Democratic opposition to the sales tax throttled appropriations to State hospitals and jails.

Democrats replied that Republicans were in the majority in both House and Senate. A Democratic-sponsored resolution in the Senate called on Fine to dismiss Brown.

But Brown drew Fine's personal ire when he issued an order last Friday which declared a 30-day moratorium starting today on "all but emergency and already scheduled admissions" to State hospitals.

Fine countermanded the order which he said was made by Brown without consultation with him. The governor took his stand on an order he issued in February that all department heads submit matters of administration policy to the governor's office.

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TO REPEAL Brown's order Fine sent this telegram to superintendents of institutions under the Welfare department:

"Ignore telegram of William C. Brown, directing 30-day moratorium on all but emergency and already scheduled admissions. Continue to accept admissions in accordance with past practice."

Brown received $15,000 a year; Denison, $11,000.

Bride, 15, Threatens Suicide Leap in Bid To Rejoin Husband

MIAMI, Fla., June 1 (AP)—Sheila Mosso, a pretty child bride, engineered a dramatic reunion with her Army deserter husband today by threatening a suicide leap from the 25th floor of the courthouse.

"Get my husband here or I'll jump," the hysterical, 15-year-old girl screamed as she perched almost four hours on a one-foot wide ledge outside the Miami skyscraper jail. She was being held for aiding her husband escape from a military stockade.

She fell stiffly through a window into the arms of Sheriff Thomas J. Kelly after he assured her that her husband, Pvt. James Mosso, 21, had been flown here from his cell at MacDill field in Tampa.

The slender, good-looking Mosso was manacled to a military policeman when he pushed into the courthouse through a mob that jammed the corridors.

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KELLY ASKED that the handcuffs be removed and Sheila rushed into her husband's arms. Then she fainted.

After she was revived, Kelly ushered them into his private office and left them alone for 45 minutes.

"She's had a tough time," the sheriff said, "and, after all, she's only 15 years old. What she wants is to get her husband out of the Army."

"I love him and I go crazy without him," Sheila moaned. "I lost my food and I've had nightmares every night I've been in jail. If they hurt him in the Army, I'll kill them."

Knowland Says US Should Expand Korean Fighting if Negotiations Fail

WASHINGTON, June 1 (AP)—Senator Knowland (R-Calif) said tonight that if truce negotiations with the Communists collapse the US should expand the Korean fighting and take the "calculated risk" of war with Russia.

Knowland

Supporting proposals made by Senator Taft (R-Ohio) and rejected by President Eisenhower, Knowland said he does not believe the Allied armistice offer to the Communists will produce a "truce with honor" because it would leave Korea divided.

In his appearance on the MBS radio show, Reporters' Roundup, the chairman of the Republican Policy committee said he supports a proposed rider to the money bill for the State, Commerce and Justice departments which would cut off US contributions to the United Nations if Red China were seated on the security council.

The Senate, considering appropriations sections of the measure, put off debate on the proposed rider until tomorrow or possibly later.

Chairman Bridges (R-NH) gave notice he will move to suspend the Senate rules—an action requiring two-thirds approval of those voting—to add the legislative amendment to the appropriations bill.

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KNOWLAND HAD some sharp words for this nation's allies. He said they are "encouraging Communism in Asia," that they are "urging us to back down from a united Korea" and "openly advocate admission of Communist China to the United Nations."

The senator was asked if he felt the free world would be better off with no truce at all.

"I would prefer a truce if we could get a truce with honor, on which we were not ultimately going to lose the balance of Asia," he replied, adding:

"I think, on this basis, with the attitude our allies are taking on the situation, that inevitably we will lose the balance of Asia."

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"IS THIS a truce with honor that we are about to get, if we get one?" he was asked.

"I don't believe so," he answered.

Sen. H. Alexander Smith (R-NJ), a Foreign Relations committee member, said in a statement he thinks there has been "complete misinterpretation" of Taft's Cincinnati speech. He said that the Ohio senator's approach "is not fundamentally different from the President's."

OXYGEN BLASTS ROCK HOSPITAL

230 Children Escape Injury in Fire

COLUMBUS, O., June 1 (AP) — Oxygen explosions rocked Childrens' hospital tonight, causing critical injuries to an attendant but none of the 230 small patients was hurt.

Parents and nurses carried the children from the hospital without panic while the reddish smoke from successive blasts rose into the sky.

Fire followed the concussion waves, destroying the institution's laundry and a small wooden storage building.

The reason the stored oxygen became ignited was not immediately discovered. Fire Chief Charles M. Pugh said the injured attendant first saw fire atop one of the oxygen tanks in the small storage building.

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BEFORE HE could do more than yell, the tank roared up. The concussion and mushroomed heat touched off about two dozen other tanks.

Pugh said the attendant's name was not immediately available. Critically hurt, he was rushed to surgery for blood transfusions.

The blast ripped the wooden storage shed apart. Windows for blocks around rattled in their frames, many of them shattered by the pressure.

Fireman Gayle Whitman received arm and shoulder injuries attempting to get inside the hospital, Pugh said.

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FIRE COMPANIES from many sections of the city went to the East side of Columbus where Children's hospital is a land-mark. The institution is widely known for its work with children, attracting patients from several states.

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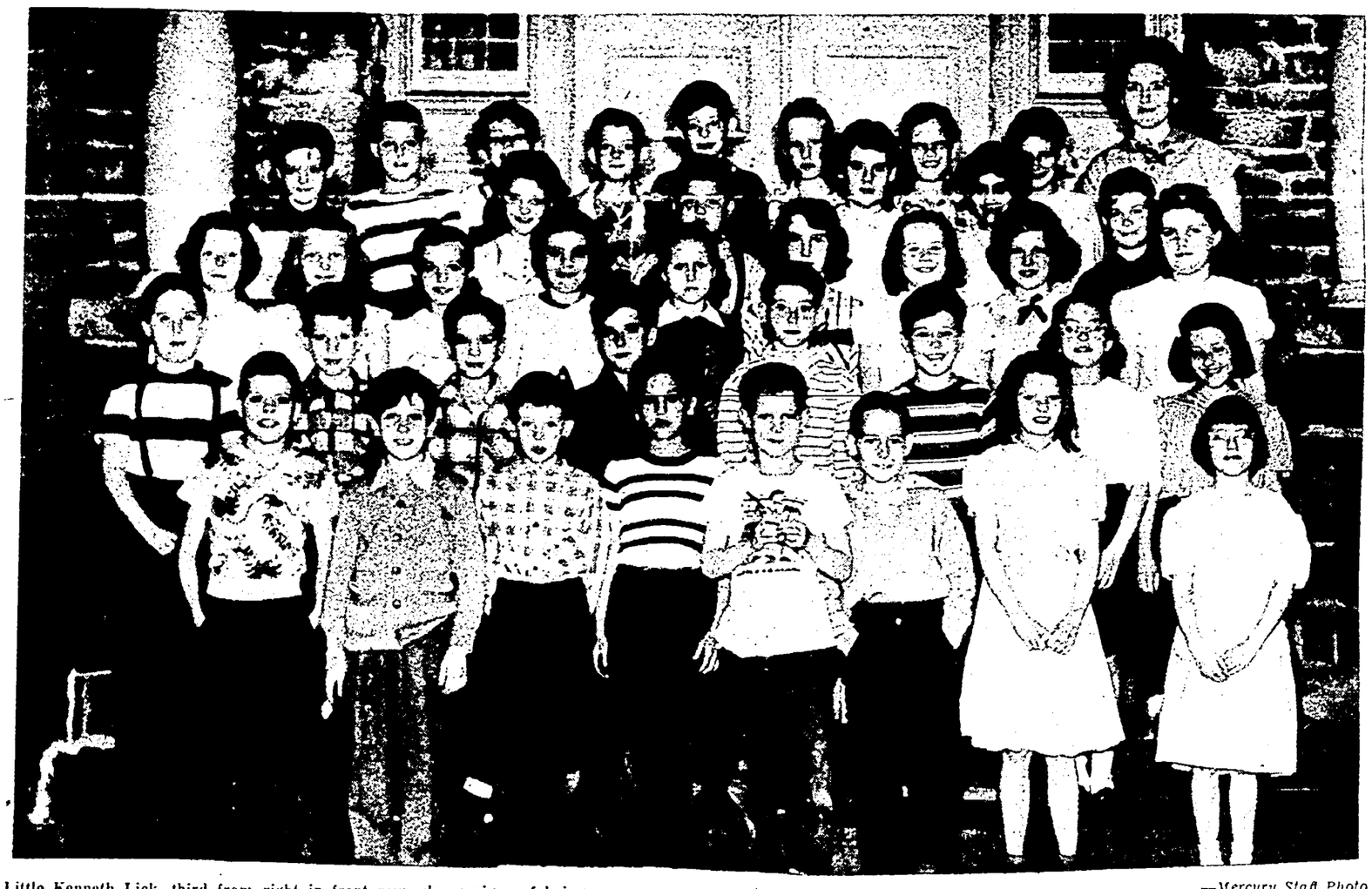

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Little Kenneth Lick, third from right in front row, shows signs of being nervous as cameraman snaps photograph of his class, the Fourth grade at Schwenksville Elementary school. Others in the front row, left to right, are: Michael Smondrowski, Nevin Stong, Jennings Bossard, Alfred Day, Eddie George, Kenneth Lick, Elizabeth Kane and Joan Hoff. Second row, left to right: John Young, David Smith, David Beck, Douglass Vogt, Bill Kulp, Nelson Swartley, Mary Ann Fryer and Florence Shaw. Third row, left to right: Phyllis Miller, Marie Gamble, Lorraine Landis, Betty Walker, Donna Fitzpatrick, Janet Berry, Evelyn Summers, Sharon Christman and Marlene Weidenbaugh. Fourth row, left to right: Mary Ann Wilkins, Ray Yeanish, Margaret Rauch, Sandra Fretz and Barry Undercoffler. Fifth row, left to right: Lloyd Keyser, Alan Rowland, George Sowers, Billy Fenstermacher, Earl Keifrider, Robert Oelschlager, Ronald Musselman, Richard Minford and Mrs. Mabel Swartley, class teacher.

Local Boy Scouts Get Ready by Making Weekend Camps As Jamboree Time Nears; Weather Again Proves Wet

With camporee time only two weeks away, local Boy Scouts stepped up their preparation schedule last night.

One troop was just back from a successful pre-camporee held over the weekend in spite of the wet weather.

Fourteen Scouts and their leader set out from Pottstown on Friday night for the expedition. All were members of Zion's Reformed Troop 5, led by Scoutmaster Wesley Nichols.

Destination of the Scouts was Ned Simpson's orchard farm on Bliem road a few miles from town, which they reached by automobile shortly after 5:30 p. m.

There they made camp on a grassy knoll near an old orchard of apple trees.

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WEATHER for camping was ideal on Friday night, but to be prepared in case of rain the Scouts dug drainage ditches around their tents.

One Explorer tent, two overnighters and two pup tents made up the housing accommodations for the night.

One Scout's unusual but comfortable resting place was suspended in mid-air.

The Scout was Richard Rhoads. His berth was a "jungle hammock," strung between two trees.

The hammock included such deluxe appointments as mosquito netting to ward off the bugs and a rubberized roof to keep the rain out of the blankets.

But the Scouts in the tents kept dry too, in spite of the rain that arrived early Saturday morning and continued through the day.

"We didn't get wet until we crawled out to cook our meals," Scoutmaster Nichols reported.

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FORTUNATELY, the owner of the campsite had provided a pile of dry firewood for cooking purposes.

"And we managed to find some dead limbs on the nearby trees that were dry enough to make kindling," the scoutmaster explained.

On Friday night the troop members entertained each other with songs and stories around a cheery late evening campfire.

The pre-camporee exedition, one of the largest from a single troop this season, included these Cobra and Senior patrol members:

Andrew Hospador, Warden Bechtel, Donald Hawthorne, Thomas Mest, Wilson Weidner, John Johnson, George Huxoll, Franklin Gaugler, Gilbert Penneypacker, Richard Rhoads, Ralph Rhoads (assistant scoutmaster), Charles Erb, David Leh, Richard Gabel and the scoutmaster.

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FIRST METHODIST Troop 4 revisited its pre-camporee site last night to collect wood it had stored

SCOUTMASTER NICHOLS

there. They will use it to make rustic dining tables for future outings.

After stowing the wood in Scoutmaster Dan Pettigrew's automobile, the Scouts held an outdoor meeting around a blazing campfire on the site.

Another troop that braved Saturday morning rain to complete its pre-camporee was St. James Lutheran Troop 18.

Assistant Scoutmaster Bruce Roberts led the troop's campers, who left Pottstown for the wild woods early Friday night.

Twelve Scouts, divided into two patrols, joined in the adventure.

Leader of the Flying Eagles was Robert Weller. The Wolf patrol was led by Saylor Creswell Jr.

LAST NIGHT the Troop 18 Scouts practiced blanket rolling and other camping skills in preparation for the camporee, which will be held on the Superior Tube company grounds near Collegeville on June 12, 13 and 14.

Practice for the national jamboree is taking place along with the camporee preparations, Edward W. Jameson, assistant scoutmaster of Pottstown's Continental district jamboree trek, said.

Jameson announced last night that three patrols of the California-bound troop will camp out this weekend on the clipped grass of a meadow in Limerick.

Robert B. Glenn, scoutmaster of the jamboree troop, is owner of the camp site, and will camp out with the 24 Scouts of the jamboree patrols.

The Golden Cub patrol of the troop camped on Glenn's farm a week ago.

ALL PATROLS of the jamboree troop will camp together at the Collegeville event before shoving off for the West Coast in July.

Almost all Pottstown troops took instruction, practiced camp skills, or prepared equipment for the upcoming camporee at last night's troop meetings.

They included Grace Lutheran Troop 15, St. Aloysius Troop 12, Trinity Reformed Troop 6, First Presbyterian Troop 3, Emmanuel Lutheran Troop 8, Scarles Methodist Troop 7 and American Legion Troop 1.

The Trinity Reformed troop also continued its Red Cross first aid course under instructor Gerald Yerger.

Troop 12 spent a part of its meeting on test passing for Second Class rank. Most of its members are working for this rank, Scoutmaster Robert E. Mauger said.

Troop 1 will hold its pre-camporee this weekend at the Legion Scout camp near Fagleysville, Scoutmaster Walter Hutt announced.

FOREIGN FANS REQUEST LOCAL EXHIBITION SEAL

Stamp Club Reports Pleas From 10 Nations

John M. Johnson, property custodian, reported at a meeting of the Pottstown Stamp club last night that stamp collectors from ten foreign countries have made requests for the exhibition seal of the local club.

The exhibition seal contains an engraving of the Augustus Lutheran church, Trapple, built in 1743, the oldest unaltered Lutehran church in the United States.

The countries from which the requests came were England, Ireland, Canada, Argentina, Belgium, Luxembourg, France, Japan, Mexico and Korea.

William T. Oxenford showed a display of United States stamps at the meeting conducted in the YMCA.

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A COMMITTEE was named to make plans for the 20th anniversary of the club, with the date for the celebration to be set. Those named to the planning committee were John M. Johnson, chairman; Curtis Angstadt, Karl Johnson, Edward Kammerzell, Tilghman Hauseman and William Oxenford.

Newly-elected President Elwood Angstadt named John M. Johnson, property custodian; Donald W. Knauer, national federation correspondent; Edwin H. Kammerzell, SEPAD delegate; Hauseman, SPA correspondent; John Howard, program chairman and Robert Richards, circuit manager for 1953-54.

Two new members were accepted into the club. They were John R. Alexander, Linden apartments, and Hathaway K. Geyer, 37 Walnut street.

ERA OF HOPE SEEN

LATROBE, June 1 (AP)—Graduating Seniors at St. Vincent college's commencement exercises today were told the 20th century may still become an era of hope.

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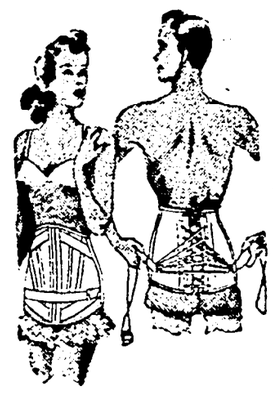

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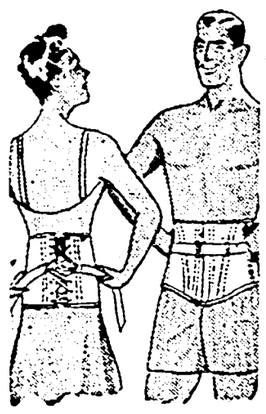

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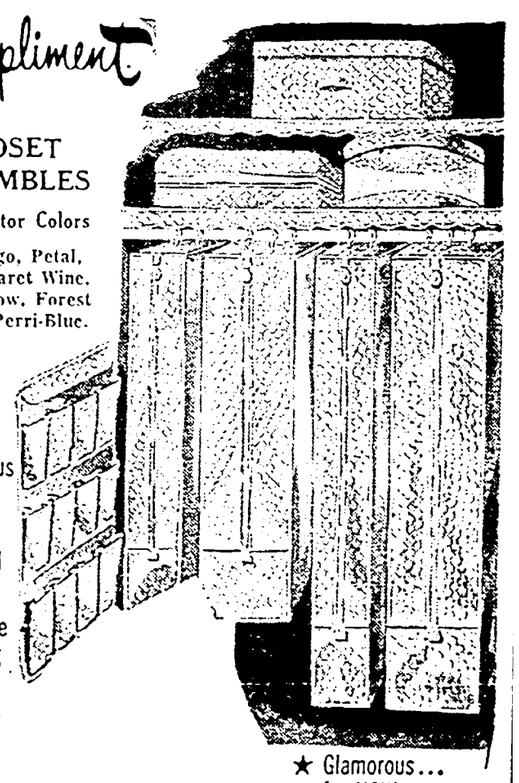

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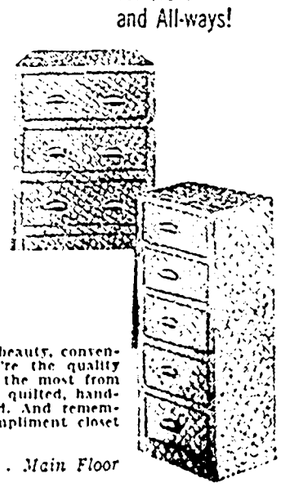

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TUESDAY, JUNE 2, 1953

I would rather walk with God in the dark than go alone in the light.— Mary Gardiner Brainard.

The Cops Play Cops!

THE silly season's here, all right. In the Spring a young man's fancy turns to hotrods, noisy exhausts and squeeling tires.

The trouble is that the silly speeding mania and noise-making isn't confined to kids. Some cops like to flash their red lights, sound the sireeeeens, and dash through traffic signals to make a big show of very important persons.

Like yesterday when Governor Theodore Roosevelt McKeldin, of Maryland, came to Pennsburg to speak to Perkiomen school's graduating class.

The governor was whizzed through Pottstown at breakneck speed, with sireeeens blaring, and pedestrians wrynecked and breathless from wondering what the noise was all about and from scurrying out of the roaring cavalcade's way.

The speedsters bearing the visiting dignitary zoomed North on Hanover street after a noisy display on Route 100. In the hurtling group were (1) A red-light-flashing, sireeeeen - open Pottstown police car; (2) The North Coventry police car (3) A Pennsylvania State police car which picked up the governor's entourage at the State line, (4) A Maryland state policeman - driven governor's car, and (5) probably a Maryland State police car.

It was hard to make out what else was in the line of jet-propulsion. The cars went by faster than a table tennis ball in a championship match.

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It's doubted that Governor McKeldin sought that speedy sort of travel through Pottstown. As governor of another great commonwealth, he must realize that speed is the cause of most accidents.

Moreover, it's unlikely that a man of his stature would demand a fanfare to signal his arrival. Governor McKeldin has been in the limelight too long to crave that sort of accolade. Most Pottstonians know him because they saw and heard him on television when he nominated Dwight D. Eisenhower for the presidency of the United States at the Republican convention.

So he probably didn't ask for the notoriety. The idea probably was the cops', who again were impressed by their own importance.

Governor McKeldin wouldn't ask police to endanger lives, and that's just what the cops were doing when they drove so fast through the center of Pottstown. Since they are guardians of the law, they should have had more sense.

In case of emergency, when a life is at stake, it might be all right for police to clear the way and lead an ambulance on an errand of mercy.

But to endanger lives to take a governor-speaker to a meeting, never! Not even the president of the United States would send people scurrying to keep a speaking date!

Taxpayer Hard Hit

WHATEVER his income, the taxpayer is hard pressed today.

He pays local taxes, state taxes, sales taxes, inheritance taxes, and corporate taxes through the manufactured products he buys. Heaviest of all is the Federal income tax, which takes from 22.2 cents to 92 cents of every taxable dollar.

The present Congress has made good progress in cutting the "lame duck" budget inherited by the Administration. It must do more, however, because the present level of taxation is more than the economy can bear indefinitely.

People in every community must co-operate by forgoing demands not only for "pork-barrel" projects, but also for some of the "plush" services the government has been furnishing.

The Truman "lame duck" budget will have to be cut by around $12,500,000,000 down to $66,100,000,000 in order to give minimum tax relief to the people and balance the budget.

New System Needed

THE Pentagon's system of procuring munitions dates back to the days shortly following George Washington.

According to Ex-Defense Secretary Lovett, that's the reason it takes months—287 days in one actual case—to let contracts after Congress has appropriated funds.

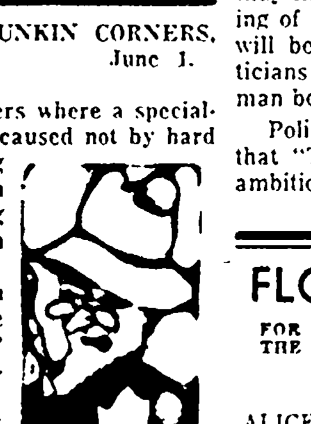
A witness told a Senate sub-committee that an ammunition order travels 10,000 miles around the Pentagon's corridors, through 42 different departments and 200 operations, before contracts can be let.

Officials testifying before the sub-committee were pretty generally agreed that "the system" is to blame for the delays. It's up to the new joint chiefs of staff to work out a new system adapted to the jet airplane days instead of the coach-and-four days when Washington finished his second term.

Grampaw Oakley

PUNKIN CORNERS,
Editor, The Mercury, June 1.
Dear Sir 'n' Brother:

Wal, I see by the papers where a specialist says heart trouble is caused not by hard work but by overeating and lack of exercise. In other words, sandwiching too much food between too many naps.



In New York, says an architect, there's no place to go but up. Oh, yeah? You'll never catch a subway that way!

And say: I have news for you. I wasn't invited to the coronation, either!

Hopin' you air the same,
GRAMPAW NED OAKLEY

READERS SAY:

The name and complete address of the author must accompany every contribution but on request will not be published. Letters not exceeding 250 words will receive preference.

Stop Dillydallying, Enforce Laws

Pottstown Shabbiness

To the Editor: I have frequently been on the verge of writing about the appalling condition of Pottstown's streets. Your recent editorial, "Dirty Downtown," gave me a fresh determination to hold forth on the subject.

I gasp at the silly sparring borough officials have exhibited the past month to try to get some weeds cut. Isn't it a crime that they just won't do anything. Now they say they will put "teeth in the law."

One of the borough officials suggested that an appeal be made to "civic pride." That's a laugh when you look at some of the junk yards around town. And I don't mean private lots. Take a look at some of them! Civic pride won't clean them. They need good elbow grease.

Take a look at the broken sidewalks and the business houses that need paint. Civic pride? What we need is law enforcement!

Pottstown SHOCKED WOMAN

Call for a Crusade

To the Editor: Knowing of all the good causes you have championed, I am wondering if there is something you can do about a subject that many decent people are talking about these days:

Could you not crusade for a borough ordinance prohibiting women from appearing on the streets in shorts and halters?

It gets worse from year to year. Isn't there something that can be done?

Pottstown TERRIBLE

New Wonder Drug

To the Editor: If as much human energy were put into popularizing the idea of each person taking better care of his own health, as is put into corralling doctors, nurses, hospitals, how would the health of the nation be?

The conservatives say they don't know, but many wild-eyed "faddists" say we would be lots better off. Are we consuming too much fat, sugar, white flour, or just too much food, alcohol, cigarets, getting too little sleep, too little exercise, etc., etc., etc.?

An experiment along these lines doesn't cost much—just some of that wonder drug, sulfa-denial.

Pottstown I. L. T.

Why Memorial Day

To the Editor: Marine Corps Vet "Scoffs at Memorial Day" in Readers Say, June 1.

For some, Memorial day brings to the surface a deep hurt and a deep sense of loss. To others, it may offer a feeling of guilt because we haven't done our best to carry on.

Those men who gave their lives have given us much to pause and reflect upon. From the Revolutionary war down to the present conflict the value of liberty, freedom and democracy as we know them have remained constant.

We still do not have peace, nor do we have peace of mind. We have not reached the plane of understanding where the four freedoms can be considered an actuality.

But surely we are learning from those who gave the ultimate that we profit by their great sacrifice.

Our dead are precarious seeds sown with the grief of those they left behind. We honor them today because they died in defense of their country, but mostly we honor them because by their deaths we have retained the true and deepest meaning of freedom and democracy.

Pottstown ANOTHER VET

Party for Kids and Dogs?

To the Editor: While some adults in and around Pottstown continue to holler about restricting pooches and their owners (mostly kids), what are they doing in the nation's capital?

A recent news dispatch reported that "Tricia and Julia Nixon, 6 and 4, daughters of Vice President Nixon, are arranging a party at Washington for the birthday of their cocker, 'Checkers' who became famous during the presidential campaign."

The article goes on to say, "Helping the pup celebrate his first birthday will be all the dogs in the neighborhood!"

How about a party or two locally for the kids and their dogs? I'm betting the turn-out would demonstrate beyond question that dogs can't be tied up without taking the joy out of life for a lot of red-blooded American kids.

In every neighborhood you find property owners who really enjoy the kids or their dogs dropping in for a visit.

But there are some folks, not necessarily those who have the nicest flowers and yards, who dislike or are afraid of dogs and blow their tops if a dog comes near.

This is their privilege, but they shouldn't be favored to the extent of handcuffing kids and dogs.

Nine times out of ten the complainers could solve their worries by fencing in their premises at a cost which would be small compared with the heavy expense in passing dog ordinances and trying hopelessly to enforce them.

Pottstown DOG LOVER

WASHINGTON

Governor Dewey Plays For Keeps in Politics

By RAY TUCKER

WASHINGTON, June 1—When Governor Thomas E. Dewey plays bigtime politics, he plays for keeps. Despite Senator Robert A. Taft's legislative influence on Capitol Hill and his personal association with President Eisenhower, the man at Albany is regarded as the controlling figure in the Administration.

Although Secretary John Foster Dulles and Attorney General Herbert Brownell Jr. are the most important officials credited to Dewey's account, he has actually been responsible for selection of key men in Treasury, Defense, Commerce and in the diplomatic establishment. The business and industrial interests which backed Ike last year were rounded up for him by the 1944-1948 nominee, and they are now receiving their reward.

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OUTSTANDING GIFT TO COME—The richest gift from the White House to the Albany leader has not yet been delivered, but it is being carefully wrapped up for him. It will give Dewey the right to construct and control two of the greatest and most valuable power projects in the eastern section of the United States.

With their political and economic ramifications through New England and the Upper Middle West, they will form the basis for a ballot-box machine such as even F.D.R. and "Jim" Farley were never able to build.

The two projects consist of the Multi-billion hydroelectric facilities to be constructed along the St. Lawrence and Niagara rivers, through the New York State Power authority, the New York governor has made a claim on them.

Although he has been fought by private interests and advocates of Federal development, it is understood that Eisenhower will use all his influence on behalf of a state system of construction and distribution, even though it may violate his basic belief in private enterprise undertakings.

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OPPONENTS OF STATE AUTHORITY—The Federal Power Commission has held extensive hearings on the St. Lawrence application of the New York State Power authority for the right to undertake the job. It was opposed by Federal power advocates, John L Lewis's miners, by coal producers and certain railroad interests. The FPC examiner has recommended in favor of New York, and commission approval is expected. Secretary Douglas McKay has indicated that he supports Dewey.

The Niagara river question has stirred more serious controversy, with the private utilities hopeful of a White House nod here. To them it represents an acid test of the Eisenhower-McKay views on enlarging the field of private enterprise.

In their opinion, where they possess the facilities and the funds, they should be given preference over Federal or state governments. That has been their understanding of Ike's viewpoint.

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DEWEY'S AMBITION—In view of the Hells Canyon decision, where they favored private rather than Federal interests, both Eisenhower and McKay may find it difficult to justify their backing of Dewey in the Niagara matter. It will be additional evidence to the politicians that the New York governor is the man behind the man in the White House.

Politically, it will be accepted as proof that "Tom" has not yet abandoned his ambition to become President.

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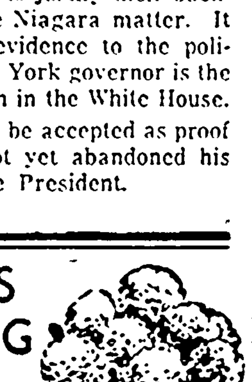
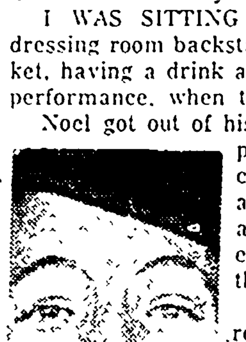


The Voice of Broadway

By DOROTHY KILGALLEN

Coronation Diary

I WAS SITTING in Noel Cowards dressing room backstage at the Haymarket, having a drink and a chat after the performance, when the telephone rang. Noel got out of his chair to reach it, picked up the receiver, said "hello," and began to look amused as he listened to the voice on the other end.



Noel Coward

"I'm afraid you've reached Mr. Coward himself," he said, "and I don't think I can help you."

The four of us—Earl Blackwell, who had taken me to the theatre, and a couple of attractive young men from the United States named Mr. Cushing and Mr. Gallaher—talked among ourselves in low tones, the way people do when they are trying not to listen, but Noel turned to us, put his hand over the mouthpiece, and explained with the Coward shrug and the Coward lift of eyebrow:

"He's calling Mr. Coward's secretary. It's a gentleman from Texas and he wants to know where he can find Blevins Davis."

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THE CORNERS of Noel's mouth turned up and the long streak that is half dimple, half furrow, appeared in his check.

"Miss Kilgallen says she believes Mr. Davis is at the Savoy," he reported into the phone, "but she'll be happy to give him a message in Westminster Abbey."

Again the caller on the other end of the line said something, and Noel played it as if he were doing a telephone scene in a Coward comedy, holding his black and gold cigaret holder at eye level, pulling his wildly printed yellow, red and green dressing gown more closely about him, and permitting a series of subtly funny expressions to animate his face.

"Yes, she's in the room now," he said. "Of course. I'll be delighted."

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WHEN HE had put down the telephone he went back to his dressing chair and picked up his heavy goblet of Dubonnet and ice, then swung around to face his little audience and make his report.

"He asked me if Miss Kilgallen was here, and when I told him she was, he said would I please tell her she was simply wonderful on "What's My Line" a week ago."

That's London now. It used to be a city of considerable formality, but the visitors and the excitement have changed all that.

Now brownskinned elegant maharajahs in shocking pink turbans are to be seen strolling into the Savoy bar for "a shot of whisky" (I heard one use that expression just yesterday afternoon) and a Texan can call upon Britain's foremost man of the theatre to give a message to a New Yorker. I think even the British are beginning to like it this way.

The Worry Clinic

By DR. GEORGE W. CRANE

JANET J., should be a lesson to all wives.

"Dr. Crane, soon after we were first married 15 years ago, I became pregnant," she mournfully reminisced.

"But my husband didn't want any children and insisted that I have an abortion. My mother also thought I was too young to have a baby, so she sided with my husband.

"Under their combined arguments, I surrendered. But during the past five years I have noticed that my husband has grown disinterested in me.

"I feel sure if we had some children, we'd be much closer together. But I have not been able to get pregnant again.

"A specialist told me last week that the abortion caused inflammation and narrowing of my Fallopian tubes, so I would probably never be able to have another baby.

"Dr. Crane, I feel terrible. I want a child so badly. Would you recommend that I adopt one? But my husband is opposed to that."

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IT IS NOT uncommon for infection to develop following an abortion. The inflammation may extend into the Fallopian tubes.

They may then become so thickened that the narrow opening into the womb is too small to admit the passage of the fertilized ovum.

A tubal pregnancy may thus develop, or else a woman may be completely sterile.

Don't make the hasty generalization that a tubal pregnancy means a woman must always have had an abortion earlier.

This is one of many laws that doesn't necessarily work both ways. So learn to be logical.

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WHEN A YOUNG wife has the chance to bear a child, she better take it! Thousands of women have grieved for many years because of a foolish early abortion which prevented their ever becoming pregnant again.

But you wives must learn to ignore such excuses, for they are usually demolished soon after the baby is born.

Most men are quite delighted with their children, especially after the latter finally arrive and then begin to wind the adults around their little fingers.

In Retrospect

50 Years Ago

June 2, 1903

WATER COMPANY—The Pottstown Gas and Water company re-elected officers as follows: George B. Lessig, president; J. Harry Maxwell, secretary and treasurer; William Auchenbach, Montgomery S. Longaker, Peter L. Egolf, Joshua N. Lessig, John W. Storb and Calvin Fegely, directors.

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GROUNDHOG SHOES—D. S. Ziegler, of Sunfneytown, has shot so many groundhogs that now the hides are being used to make shoes for some of the elite of that section. The leather is nice and soft and wears better than calf skin it is said.

25 Years Ago

June 2, 1928

BASEBALL NOTES—George "Buck" Weaver, former Stowe baseball player, who was one of the Chicago White Sox players banished several years ago is now manager of a semi-pro team in the Middle West. Russell "Jing" Johnson has been released by Manager Connie Mack of the Philadelphia Athletics. He will now pitch for a Baltimore, Md., team.

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COMMENCEMENT—Diplomas were awarded to 11 graduates at the Amity township school commencement held in St. Paul's Union church, Amityville. Orations were given by Ludwig Walsh, Landis John and Hazel Graham. M. C. Billett is supervising principal of the schools.

10 Years Ago

June 2, 1943

FLOWER SHOW—The Jewish Women's league held a flower show in the Community center. Prizes were awarded to Mrs. Doris Borger, Mrs. Lillie Prince, Mrs. Flo Feit, Mrs. Sylvia Bressler and Mrs. Yetta Miller. There were numerous exhibits.

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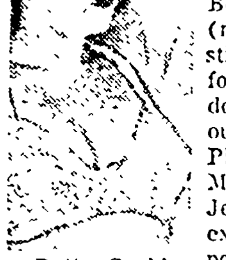
WAR PRISONER—Pfc. Leonard Biehl, son of Grover Biehl, 50 West Main street, South Pottstown, is a prisoner of war in a Nazi concentration camp at Stalag, Germany. He was captured in the North African campaign. He has been in the armed services for two years.

THE WEAKER SEX

Hollywood

By EDITH GWYNN

HOLLYWOOD, June 1—George Sanders has been making cryptic craques about the status of his wedded bliss (?) with Zsa Zsa. You can expect the cryptic to turn caustic before long. This marriage is not in a state known as dreamy! . . . Even though Betty Grable (now in N. Y.) is still on suspension for "turning down" her loan-out for "The Pleasure Is All Mine," producer Jerry Wald fully expects her to report for the film's start June 22.



Betty Grable

Tells us she likes the story, and is nutz about the seven songs Lester Lee and Ned Washington have done for it. There'll be three male leads in the movie—and one of 'em will be David Wayne. Personal opinion:- That Betty's "beef" wasn't about a co-star, as publicized, but that she wants extra bonu$ dollar$ from her home lot, 20th-Fox.

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"OUTLAW TERRITORY," the John Ireland - Macdonald Carey starrer, is now "Hannah Lee," named after a song in the picture. Ireland and Jack Palance have plans to co-produce a 3-D color film of the play, "Dark of the Moon" come Fall . . . A. Archerd says, "The script of the 3-D 'Mad Magician' calls for a man's head to be lopped off by a buzz saw, and roll into the audience's lap. The audience will then promptly get sick!" We'll string along with Bob Hope who is "waiting for FOUR-D. That's 3-D with a story." . . . Ginny Simms says she almost swallowed her back teeth over rumors she'd like to return to her first spouse, Hyatt Dehn when she's free from Bob Calhoun! So did we — knowing that while Ginny and Hy are on good terms for the sake of their children, they're not over-friendly! P. S. The Simms-Calhoun case reaches the courts this week.

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VITTORIO GASSMAN makes with the daily "training" to learn how to look like he's really playing the violin for "Rhapsody," and his role as a blind musician. Liz Taylor portrays a pianner-player in same. Is Vittorio's Mrs. Shelley Winters going to do "Five Bullets" or not? The rip-roarin' western (her first) was supposed to start the past month! . . . Andy Russell (now at the Flamingo in Las Vegas) just signed to sing on Coral records. Strange—but Andy recently offered his services free, for radio, TV time-spots to the Los Angeles county campaign for Crippled Children—and nobody called him back. The "kicker" is this:—Andy was crippled as a boy, and personally benefited by the aforementioned drive!

How's Your Mind?

THE ANSWER, QUICK!

1. What is the capital of the republic of Panama?
2. In what city is Antiquarian House situated?

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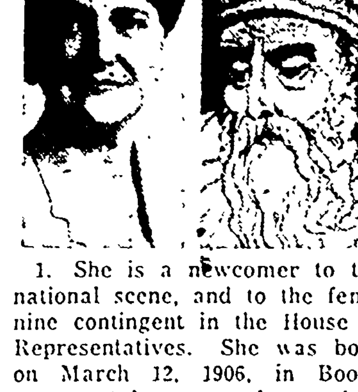
FOLKS OF FAME—GUESS THE NAME



1. She is a newcomer to the national scene, and to the feminine contingent in the House of Representatives. She was born on March 12, 1906, in Boone county, Arkansas, and moved to Nampa, Idaho, with her parents in 1911. She attended Idaho schools, is a business college graduate and was a chemist for a milk products company for two years. Then she served as deputy county clerk, auditor and recorder, and treasurer for Canyon county. She is also the owner and operator of her own real estate business. A Democrat, she was elected to Congress in 1952. *What is her name?*

2. He was born about 300 BC, and probably received his early training at Athens from the pupils of Plato. He taught and founded a school at Alexandria in the time of Ptolemy I who reigned from 306 to 283 BC. His great work is the "Elements" (of geometry) in 13 books. No other scientific text book has remained in use virtualy unchanged for more than 2000 years. The first extant translation of the "Elements" was made about 1120 A. D. We are not told when he died, but one of his answers to a pupil who asked if there was not some easier way to learn geometry than the Elements has come down to us: "There is no royal road to geometry!" Who was he?

(Names at bottom of column)

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IT HAPPENED TODAY

1840—Thomas Hardy, English novelist, born. 1946—Italy voted to abolish monarchy.

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WATCH YOUR LANGUAGE

CONSPICUOUS — (con-SPIK-u-us)—adjective; obvious to the eye or mind; manifest; attracting attention; striking.

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Anna Margaret Gerell, noted Swedish artist, and Prof. Adam Andrew McConnell, Irish surgeon, have birthdays today.

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HOW'D YOU MAKE OUT?

1. Panama.
2. Concord, Mass.

1. Congresswoman Gracie Pfost; 2. Euclid.

Pottstown Sketches

"It wasn't bad, Mom, but I kind of missed the box-top offers."

ALL AROUND THE TOWN

Remember Shut-Ins . . . Gifts From England . . .

★ **SHUT-IN DAY**—This coming Sunday is Shut-ins' Day. It's a day to remember shut-in friends with cards, gifts of flowers and the like. You cannot sprinkle the seeds of happiness on others without getting a few drops on yourself. If you'd like, this column will accept the names and addresses of shut-ins who ought to receive a little cheer. Write a note to All Around the Town, giving details and be sure to include the name and address. . . . This rainy weather is driving home-owners to distraction. What homes don't have heat are finding mildew as thick as whiskers on the cellar walls. Of those who've turned on the heat, saddest is the lad who determined to switch to oil heat. So he burned all his coal. With the rainy season, he burned wood, ran out of it, then tore down the coal bin and burned it. "Next come the cellar stairs!" he threatened!

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FROM ABROAD—Gifts from the coronation were received by Mrs. Kenneth Rudisell, Pleasant View road, Sanatoga. A replica of the cloth to be used on the table of the new Queen, was presented to her by a friend from Quebec. She also received a new silver dollar, with the picture of Queen Elizabeth 2 on it. Coronation 1953 was stamped on a penknife received by her son. It also bore the likeness of the Queen. . . . Today's thought—It's just as well to forget your old troubles, because there are more coming.

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★ **SALE**—J. Franklin Bechtel, the former ice cream man, has sold his home at Chestnut street to a pair of Pottstown men. Bechtel, who now has a metal business in Philadelphia, is building a ranch type stone home in Bryn Mawr. The Bechtel home was sold by N. Douglas Ottinger, broker for the James J. Moore realty firm, to Harry Travis, 269 Beech street, Spicer worker, and William L. Miller, 3 East Second street, a Bethlehem Steel guard. Travis and Miller each have an equal share in the home. . . . Overheard on High street: "When a man has a rip in his coat and only three buttons on his vest, he should do one of two things: either get married or get divorced."

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FOR THE BIRDS—Mocking birds and cardinals have been moving north in increasing numbers during the last 20 years. The reason, say experts: "crowded living conditions" for birds in the South. . . . A new light bulb designed for killing insects has recessed pockets to hold insecticide. The insecticide vaporizes when the bulb gets hot, kills insects which fly around the light.

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★ **MUCH IN A NAME**—What's in a name? Plenty, when it comes to selling more and more of a products and thereby making more and more jobs. It's got to be a good name, in more ways than one. For *a household product, for instance*, it should be short—three or four letters—and easily remembered. One company considered 100,000 possible names before it picked "Swan" for its new soap. . . . SHORT AND SWEET—There are two sides to every question and a politician usually takes both. . . . The best way to get ahead is to have one.

YOUR HEALTH

By HERMAN N. BUNDESEN, M.D.

AS THE POLIO season approaches, we can be thankful for definite progress toward preventing this disease, and for improved treatment if it's contracted.

It has been reported that development of a vaccine is well on the way to practical usefulness, but several years may be required for its complete development.

It has also been shown that a portion of the blood serum, known as immune globulin, can make polio attacks less likely to produce paralysis and in some cases temporarily prevent them.

As yet, there is not enough immune globulin to treat the entire child population, so it is being held to be used in critical areas of epidemics.

In this way it will not be used indiscriminately, and the disease can be controlled on a nationwide basis.

Until we have a final cure for polio, this disease will continue to leave many children crippled. The prevention of deformities has had varying success.

The drug known as curare has shown good results in treating this muscle spasm. Curare has a remarkable property of relaxing muscle tightness. In fact, the same drug in a less purified form was used by the American Indians as an arrow poison to paralyze the muscles of their enemies.

In polio, curare relaxes the muscle spasms by causing a mild, temporary, partial paralysis. In polio patients who are recovering, injections of curare are given twice a day.

Along with this, the muscles are stretched gradually so the amount of stretching is increased on each succeeding day. Muscle shortening, which is otherwise almost inevitable, can thus be avoided.

Usually, this treatment of muscle stretching is carried out by a person trained in physical therapy and the rehabilitation of crippled arms and limbs.

If this treatment is undertaken under the physician's directions early enough in polio cases, many times casts and braces are unnecessary. Many patients can be saved from operations to correct deformities later on in life.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

W. K.: How does a child get tuberculous meningitis?

Answer: Usually, the child picks up the infection from an adult. It may be the first type of tuberculosis to show itself in the child's body, or be a part of a generalized tuberculous process.

This disease was considered always fatal until recently, when excellent results have been obtained in some cases by early treatment with streptomycin.

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Licenses of 6 Area Drivers Suspended; Three for Speeding

Six Pottstown area motorists had their licenses suspended and four had their privileges restored, it was reported yesterday by the Bureau of Highway Safety.

Three drivers lost their licenses on speeding charges.

They were Maynard L. Moyer, Pennsburg, RD 1; Charles L. Rohland, 39 West Fifth street; William B. Thomas, 329 Main street, Collegeville.

Other suspensions were Elmer M. Jackson, 123 Duck Alley, Mont Clare, failure to maintain proof of financial responsibility; John J. Zeitz, 411 Fairview street, Stowe, intoxication; Irvin H. Keeley, 484 Manatawny street, speeding and violating traffic regulations on the Pennsylvania turnpike.

Restorations were ordered for Jay Richard Megay, Collegeville RD 2; James C. Reid, 434 Walnut street; John Knight, 1225 Maple street; Richard D. Byndas, Linfield.

Township Board Votes Road Repair

Douglass township (Berks county) supervisors last night voted to blacktop a portion of Route 482 along the Manatawny creek.

Supervisors Carroll R. Bewley, Horatio D. Bertram and Harvey B. Schaeffer will make an inspection tour of the road this morning.

Bewley, who had missed the past several meetings because of illness, was back on the job last night.

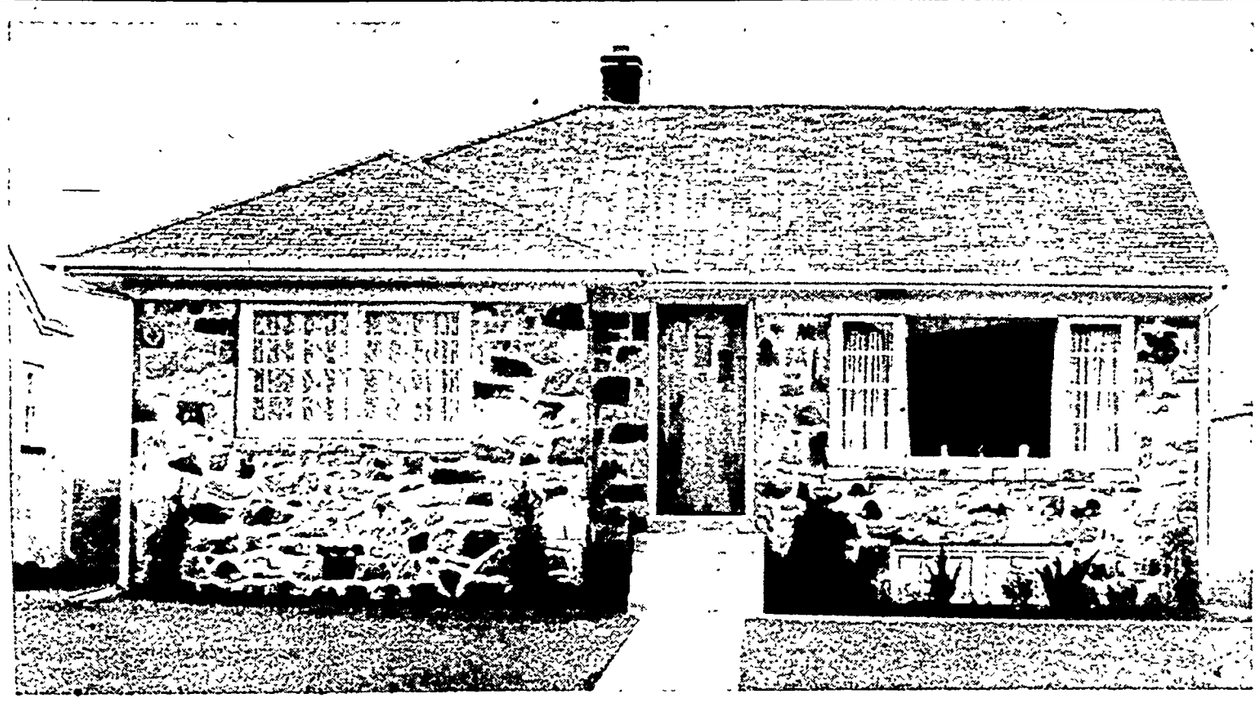
Supervisors met in Colebrookdale school.

It is believed that when the pilgrims first landed in America they had no fishing tackle.

IN AIR FORCE—Richard Peterson, 19-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Peterson, Hilldale, now is taking Air Force basic training at Amarillo, Texas. Before he entered the service the past March 21, he was employed by Pottstown Metal Products company.

Pottstown's Prides

Another in the series of beautiful homes that make Pottstown warm



—Mercury Staff Photo

All is serene at the front of this home of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel H. Herb at 220 West King street, but there's plenty of activity out back. They're starting a concrete patio, are planting flower beds and have a sizeable vegetable garden under cultivation. The house was finished the past Fall by a Philadelphia contracting firm. On the one floor are the living room (behind picture window), about 15 by 17 feet; kitchen, three bedrooms and bath. Above it is an unfinished attic. There's a full cellar. The stone work is multi-shaded. Herb is a porter for Doehler-Jarvis division.

CANCER DRIVE GOES OVER TOP

Pottstown Area Brings Total Up to $7145

Volunteers in the Pottstown area have brought their 1953 Cancer Crusade total up to $7145 — which puts that district ahead of its crusade goal. In the week since the crusade officially ended, additional contributions brought the total to 101 percent of the district's quota.

Mrs. Ivan W. Hess, Benjamin Franklin Parkway, Limerick, who headed the drive there, has turned in $752 to the American Cancer society — 150.4 percent of the goal for the borough of Limerick.

Royersford's chairman, Mrs. William Kulp, Royersford and Buckwalter roads, reports that contributions are still coming in which are expected to put that borough over the top soon.

No American Cancer society campaign was held in the area covered by the Pottstown United Fund, but residents there voluntarily sent a total of $363 to the crusade headquarters in Philadelphia, which, added to the $5000 given to the American Cancer society by the Pottstown United Fund, gave Pottstown a credit of 107.2 percent of its goal.

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MRS. HESS and Mrs. Kulp expressed their gratitude to the workers and chairmen, and to all who contributed to the crusade.

Also figuring in the drive were Cassin W. Craig, Norristown attorney, who served as crusade chairman for Montgomery county, and W. Carroll Keesey, retiring general chairman of the crusade in Philadelphia and Montgomery county.

Saudi Arabia has started exporting packaged dates for the first time in its 3000-year history.

Supervisors Report Rains Halt Projects At South Coventry

Rain, the Spring enemy of all area farmers, has extended its record of mischief to highway planning and construction.

South Coventry supervisors last night reported the heavy rains have delayed work on two planned road projects.

Supervisors plan to construct three-tenths of a mile of macadam on the top of Chestnut hill road, and four-tenths on Frogtown road.

Mud from a number of fields washed onto township roads during the heavy weekend storm.

President Paul Loomis was in charge of the session in South Coventry school.

Earl W. Stoltzfus, Stephen Lloyd and William S. Symons, nonmember secretary, were present.

Township Supervisors To Discuss Rain Damage

Colebrookdale supervisors tonight will discuss damage to township highways during the heavy weekend rains.

President John Hartman last night said most of the debris washed onto roads by the rains was removed yesterday. Tonight's session will convene at 7 o'clock in the township building.

Mercantile Bureau Discusses Shoplifting

A brief discussion of the recent increase in shoplifting highlighted yesterday's noontime meeting of the Mercantile bureau at Clover Leaf restaurant.

Both Warren F. DeLong, manager of the Ellis Mills store, and Edward H. Larkin, manager of the McCrory store, reported that their stores were emphasizing prevention, with the whole staff alerted once suspicious persons were sighted.

The idea is, they said, to put suspicious persons under scrutiny so that shoplifting is impossible.

The meeting, in charge of C. J. Keiser, chairman, was rounded out with routine reports.

Freedom Foundation Official to Speak Here

A publicity director of the Freedom foundation will be guest speaker at the regular meeting of the Pottstown Kiwanis club tonight at 6:15 at the Elks home.

The speaker is Joseph Ely, director of publicity and publications, Freedom foundation, National headquarters at Valley Forge.

A regular board meeting will follow the general session.

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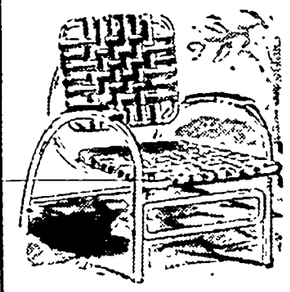

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Girls' Lace-Trimmed PANTIES — 3 for 1.00 — White, maize, blue, or pink rayons; sizes 8 to 14. Reg. 49c each. Second Floor

Men's Spun Nylon SOCKS — 2 pairs 1.00 — Famous 'Nu Weave' make with elastic tops in white, pastels, or dark colors. Sizes 10 to 12. If perfect, 1.00 per pair. Main Floor

Men's Broadcloth SHORTS — 2 for 1.00 — Full cut boxer or gripper fastener styles. Stripes or solids—guaranteed fast colors. Sizes 30 to 44. Main Floor

Boys' Durable QUALITY SOCKS — 6 PAIRS — Stripes, blazers, or argyles with elastic or crew top. Sizes 7 to 11. Formerly 29c to 49c pair. $1 — Second Floor

Boys' Short Sleeve SPORT SHIRTS — Sanforized broadcloth, luana, plisse, or rayon acetate shirts by Sturdiboy, Collegiate, and Jets. Solids, plaids, and fancy prints—guaranteed colorfast. Sizes 4 to 20. $1 — Second Floor

Aluminum Safety Lid $1 — Guaranteed to protect against burns and spots from splattering. Pour water through well. Downstairs

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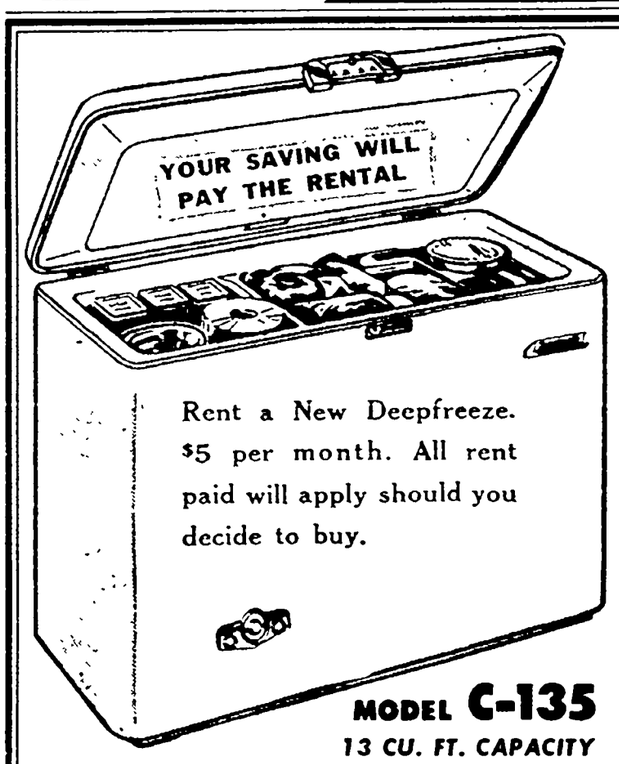

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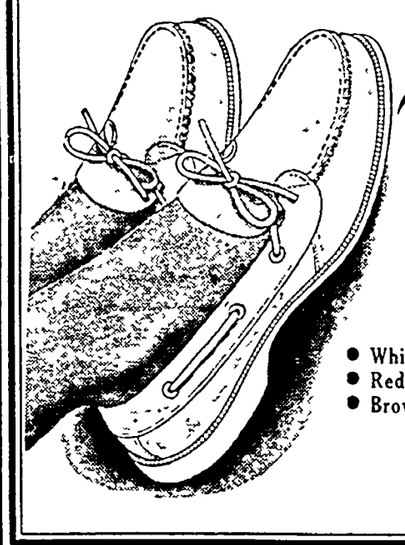

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Royersford Borough Council Defers Taking Action on Oak Street at Meeting

Royersford borough council deferred for action next Monday night a matter which consumed more than an hour's discussion at the monthly meeting last night, regarding the matter of unopened Oak street.

The matter became complicated because of a difference of opinion regarding two property owners whose properties abut on what would be Oak street, if it were opened, from Fifth avenue.

John Rudick, owner of one property on Fifth avenue on the line of unopened Oak street, said seven years ago he was given permission verbally and in writing to build a welding shop and that he would not be bothered for 20 years.

He built the welding shop. Last night he said that the recent passage of an ordinance to open Oak street from Fifth to Sixth avenue, for the purpose of granting permission for the erection of a church and parochial school would "put me out of business."

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GABRIEL RICHARDS, one of the representatives of the Sacred Heart church interested in building the church, on land donated by Nicola Dinnocenti, immediately said it would be satisfactory to change the plans and build the school on the other side, then it would not be necessary to open Oak street from Fifth to Sixth avenue.

This apparently settled that part, but then a difference of opinion between Rudick and Rocco Dinnocenti, owner of a property on Fifth avenue which also extends to the unopened part of Oak street developed.

Dinnocenti charged that Rudick maintained a "junk yard" on his part of unopened Oak street and even let some parts extend over the line.

Council Secretary Benjamin Fry read a letter from an attorney representing Dinnocenti, in which the attorney asked that council declare Rudick's part of the land a nuisance and that it should be removed.

The ensuing discussion "got nowhere," and it was agreed to investigate, learn more facts and come to a decision at an adjourned meeting next Monday night. Rudick had said he was willing to clean up, but Dinnocenti would not let him use his half of the land.

At the same adjourned meeting council will hold an open hearing on a request from Gruber Industries incorporated, to build an addition to the front on Spring street, near Fourth avenue. The Zoning Board of Adjustment had told Eli H. Gruber, owner of the industry, it did not have authority to grant the request.

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REPORT OF THE treasurer listed a balance of $20,487.83. Sewer account report showed $1138.22 outstanding in sewer rentals.

Tax Collector Daniel J. Mowrey reported credits of $358.20 against an outstanding balance of $48,514.20, leaving a balance of 1953 tax unpaid totaling $48,156.

Bills totaling $8076.28, borough account, and $9480.45, sewer account, were ordered paid.

Report of the street committee, by Clinton Ayres, chairman was:

Finished repairing gutter on First avenue, cleaned gutters and opened ditch at Seventh avenue and Spruce street and Fourth avenue, below Chestnut street. Patched the following streets: Green street, Fifth avenue to borough line; Sixth avenue, Green street to Arch street; Arch street, Fifth to Sixth avenue; Spring street, Fourth to Fifth avenue; Green street, Second to Third avenue; Seventh avenue and Pine street. Started cutting grass on lots and routine work.

Police report of Chief Bryson Turner, read by Burgess Ralph Landes listed 29 complaints, four arrests, two motor violations, two auto accidents, with total damages of $455; two petty larceny cases, one hit and run, one mental case and five street lights reported "out." Police car traveled 2256 miles, using 170 gallons of gasoline. Total cash receipts by police were reported as $141 for the borough and $10 for the State.

A communication was read from State Highway department, approving a traffic light at South Third avenue and Main street, the light to operate at the following intervals:

From 11:15 a. m. to 1:15 p. m., 3:15 to 5:15 p. m., and 6:30 to 9:30 p. m. At all other times the light would be on "blinker." Council took no action.

Twin-Boro Classified

Deaths 1

GEARHART—In Phoenixville hospital, on Sunday, May 31, 1953, Morris Gearhart, aged 82 years. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral service from the White Memorial Home, Parkerford, Tuesday at 2 p. m. Interment Brownback's Reformed cemetery. Friends will be received at the Memorial Home Monday evening 7 to 8:30. (White)

Card of Thanks 2

HUNSBERGER

I wish to thank the neighbors and friends for the kindness and sympathy and the floral tributes and use of cars offered during my recent bereavement Mrs. ANNA HUNSBERGER

I wish to thank my friends for the many cards and flowers received while in the hospital. Mrs. KATIE KULP.

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Painting and Paperhanging, estimates given E Roy Keen, 359 Bridge street, Spring City. Phone Royersford 758.

Help Wanted — Male 33

WANTED—Dependable, accurate man to read water meters in spare time, last three weeks in June, Sept., Dec. and March. Average about 5 hr. each day in above periods. Apply The Home Water Co., 326 Main St., Royersford.

Articles for Sale 46

Caloric Gas Range, excellent cond. $100. 3-piece walnut bedroom suite good cond., $75. Phone 470 after 5 p. m. Chas. Weikel, 15 Second Ave., Royersford.

Everything in freezer supplies Freez-tainers, Kordite bags and boxes. Pint containers 3c ea. McKissick's. Phone 35

Aluminum Clothes Props. M. Brownback, 47 Church St., Spring City. Phone Royersford 902-J.

Seeds, Plants, Flowers 58

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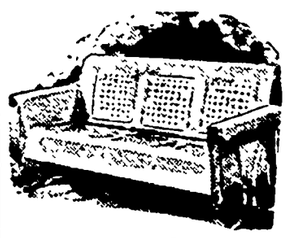

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Lions Club to View Film

A film put out by Lions International, showing the 1952 International convention parade at Mexico City, will be shown at the semi-monthly meeting of Royersford Lions club tomorrow night at 6:30 o'clock at Spring-Ford Country club.

Officers will be elected during the meeting.

PERSONALS

Four Twin-Borough men attended the Memorial Day auto races at Indianapolis, Ind. They were Joseph Miller, 310 Chestnut street, Spring City; Bruce Washburn, 417 Pikeland avenue, Spring City; Spunk Sponagle, Crab Hill, near Spring City, and Dr. Raymond W. Thorne, 333 Washington street, Royersford. They returned home Sunday.

Darwin B. Kryder and his mother, Mrs. Lottie Kryder; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kryder, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kryder and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Badman, Royersford; accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Hagy and Mrs. Maude Richenbach, Reading, spent the holiday weekend at the Kryders' hunting camp, Fairview, Perry county.

DEATHS—FUNERALS

MRS. LOUISE K. WHITTLINGER SCHWARZ, 75 widow of Charles J. Schwarz, formerly of Newark, N. J., died late Saturday night at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Hyden, Mikol Lyndal PHOENIXVILLE RD 1, following an illness with complcations.

Mrs. Schwarz was born in Cleveland, Ohio, but lived in Newark, N. J., most of her life, before she came to live with her daughter, near Phoenixville. She was a member of Radiant Chapter 7 Order of the Esatern Star.

Surviving are six children: Charles W., Jersey City, N. J.; Mrs. Martha C. Heller, Mrs. Anna M. Aldridge and Fred C. Schwarz, Spring City; Mrs. Ethel E. Cope, Maplewood, N. J., and Mrs. Olive S. Hyden, with whom she lived; also 12 grandchildren, 11 great-grandchildren and a sister, Mrs. Anna Trahman, Irvington, N. J.

Funeral services will be conducted in a funeral home at Irvington, N. J., tonight. Burial will be made tomorrow in Hollywood cemetery, Irvington.

Funeral services for JESSE L. HUNSBERGER, 108 ADAMS STREET, ROYERSFORD, were conducted in a funeral home at 367 Walnut street yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock by the Rev. Paul J. Henry, Pastor of Grace Lutheran church. Relatives were the bearers.

Interment was made in Fernwood cemetery.

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Admitted: Ruth Dengler, Royersford; Anna Kuchatik, Kathryn Devlin, Judith O'Neill, William Ingram, Marion Weiland, Leo Custer, William Smith, Paul Kupriziez, Wilma Walters, Warren Hirsch, Ada Evans and Helen O'Connell, Phoenixville.

Discharged: Joseph Baer, Mrs. Ada Evans, Phoenixville.

Birth: To Mrs. Mildred Vircisk, Mont Clare, a girl.

GRADUATES TO HOLD DANCE

Spring City High school graduates will hold a farewell dance tomorrow night from 8 to 11 o'clock in the High school gymnasium.

150 State Employes Receive Back Pay

HARRISBURG, June 1 (AP)—Close to 150 employes of the State Welfare department including former Secretary William C. Brown today received back pay for April and May totaling $93,000.

Four checks covering the four one-half month periods were distributed to workers. The money was made available through a 60 million dollar deficiency appropriation passed by the legislature for the fiscal biennium beginning today.

A lack of department funds under former appropriations had held up the salary checks.

Brown was fired today by Gov. John S. Fine.

90 GRADUATED

MERCERSBURG, June 1 (AP) — Ninety Seniors received diplomas today at the 60th annual June commencement of Mercersburg academy.

Ex-President Plans Trip to Eastern US

KANSAS CITY, June 1 (AP)—Former president Harry S. Truman said today he will make a trip East late this month, stopping at Washington, Philadelphia and New York.

Two of his appearances, one at Philadelphia and one at New York will be luncheons arranged by David P. Lloyd, director of the fund for the Harry S. Truman Library, Inc.

The Philadelphia luncheon is set for June 26. Also while there, he will address the national convention of the Reserve Officers' association.

Truman said before going to Philadelphia he will spend two days in Washington visiting old friends.

Asked if he was going to visit the White House, the former president replied he had no reason to do so.

68-Year-Old Woman Buries Husband in Yard

PITTSBURGH, June 1 (AP)—Police said today a 68-year-old woman carried her dead husband in a wheelbarrow to a shallow grave in the backyard of their rural home and buried him with his feet protruding.

Dr. R. C. Hamilton, coroner's pathologist, said the man, Andrew Howryalko, 70, died of a skull fracture.

County policeman Donald Genther and Elwood Watson took Mrs. Howryalko to the behavior clinic for observation and questioning. Dr. Hamilton said he could not immediately determine the cause of the skull fracture. The policeman quoted Snowden township neighbors as saying they saw Mrs. Howryalko carry her husband's body to the grave.

There are more than 40 different kinds of domesticated animals ranging from insects to mammals.

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WAY TO BEAUTY—Almost unbelievable, but nevertheless a fact, the two photos above are of the same girl and were taken only eight hours apart. She is Ljuba Radojevic, who came to the United States from a collective farm in Yugoslavia to live with her grandfather in Miami, Fla. A group of publicists took her in tow and, in an eight-hour period, provided Ljuba with her first lipstick, first manicure, first permanent, first pretty clothes and first frothy lingerie. When she emerged, even Ljuba scarcely recognized herself.

Demonstration Gives Whole Class Jitters

NEW YORK, June 1 (AP)—When 10-year-old Charles Aponte got up to recite today in the "show and tell" period of a Fifth grade oral composition class, he gave the whole school the jitters.

The object young Charles had chosen to explain was a hand grenade, the firing pin still in place.

As he held it aloft and announced, "I can take it apart," over rushed the teacher, Miss Harriet Freedmon.

She took the grenade into the principal's office and school officials made plans to evacuate the entire school.

Then police arrived, carried the grenade to a back yard and diagnosed it as empty and harmless.

Charles explained he got the souvenir grenade from his brother, who got it from a friend, who got it from a cousin who was in the Army.

Man Arrested for Setting Fire to Father's Barn

TARENTUM, June 1 (AP)—County Detective Thomas McCracken said Paul Sutara, 36, of nearby Fawn township was arrested today on arson charges after he admitted setting fire to his father's barn for spite.

Anne Sutara, a sister, was burned slightly and a brother, Frank, was hospitalized with burns in the $20,000 blaze Saturday. McCracken said the brother and sister told him they had Paul arrested recently for disordedly conduct. He said Paul had been drinking.

Mrs. North Discloses Politics on Son's Birth

HOLLYWOOD, June 1 (AP)—Television's Mrs. North gave birth to a son today and immediately disclosed her politics.

The new son of actress Barbara Britton and Dr. Eugene Czukor was named Dwight Timothy.

"Naturally, we'll call him Ike for short," said the mother. It is the third child for the couple. They have another son, 6, and a daughter, 2.

Ike weighed in at 5 pounds 4 ounces at Parkview hospital.

DELINQUENCY TO BE PROBED

WASHINGTON, June 1 (AP)—The Senate today authorized an investigation of juvenile delinquency, particularly as to whether Communist China is "using drugs and their traffic in a systematic effort to attempt to undermine the youth of our major cities."

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Striking Employes Reject Second Offer

WILLIAMSPORT, June 1 (AP) — Striking union employes of the Avco Manufacturing corporation today rejected a second company wage increase offer and voted to continue their two-week-old walkout.

Officials of Local 787, United Auto Workers (CIO) announced union members voted almost 2 to 1 against a company proposal for a 5-cent wage increase effective today. Some 2800 workers at the corporation's Lycoming - Spencer division plant are out.

The company also offered another 4-cent across the board boost on Oct. 5 and suggested an extension of the union contract until June 15, 1955. The present contract expires Oct. 31, 1953.

PLANT COMPLETED

PITTSBURGH, June 1 (AP)—Pittsburgh Steel company today reported completion of a nine-million dollar open hearth expansion program at its Monessen plant.

Italian law forbids a child to be named after its parent.

Harry Truman's Office Now Has Name on Door

KANSAS CITY, June 1 (AP)—Harry S. Truman's office door now has his name on it.

For more than four months since the former president moved into his suite in the Federal Reserve bank building, the door was unmarked.

Today there are three-inch high letters, "Harry S. Truman," on the glass panel.

Asked why he had his name placed there, Truman said: "Too many people were getting lost."

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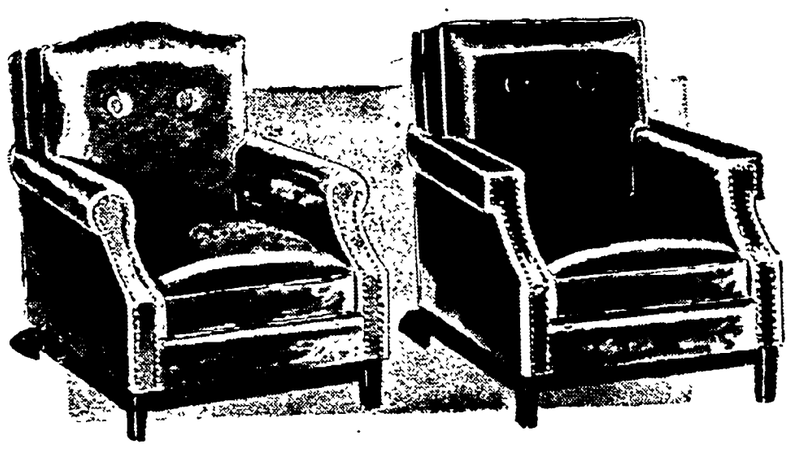

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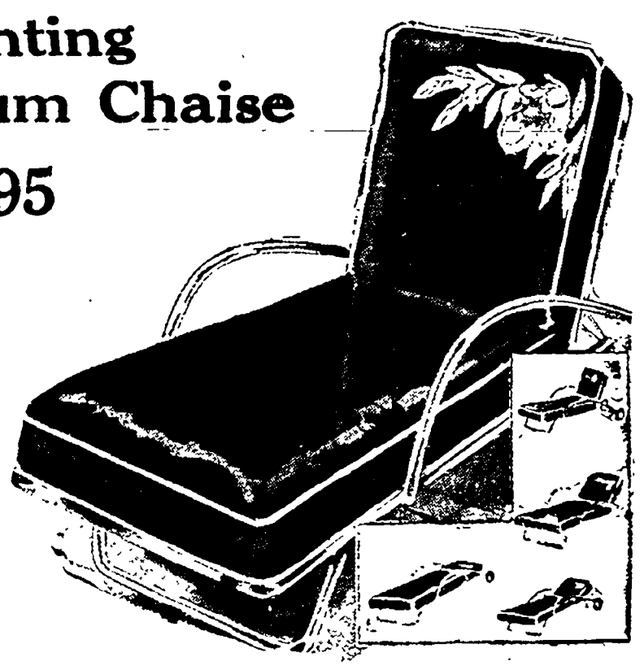

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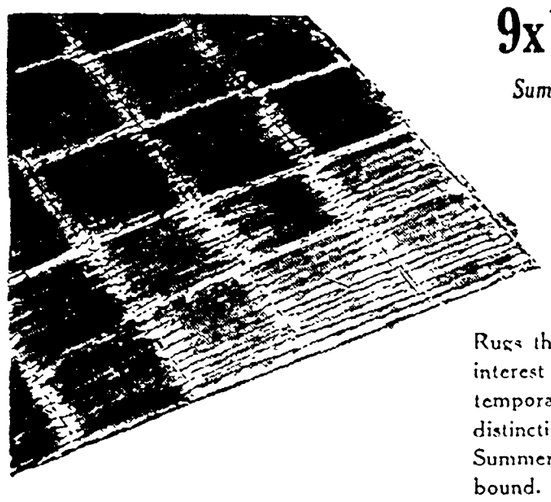

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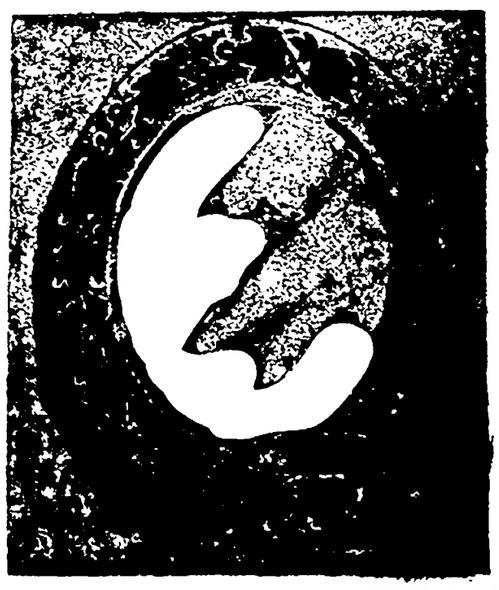

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Rose Society Expects Hundreds of Roses to Compete for Trophies at Annual Pottstown Rose Show Saturday

Hundreds of roses—at least 1200 of them—will compete for prizes Saturday at the annual Pottstown Rose show in the gymnasium of the YWCA.

According to the Pottstown Rose society, more than 300 persons are expected to enter their blooms, as opposed to 216 exhibitors the past year.

All amateur rose growers have been invited by the society to enter their prize flowers between 8 and 10:15 a. m. Saturday. By noon, the judging is expected to be completed, and the entrants will be displayed to the public until 8 p. m

Members of the American Rose society will be on hand to classify roses for which the growers have no names, and any which cannot be pinned down to a specific title will be entered in a class for old fashioned roses

To prepare flowers for the exhibit, the society said, the **grower should clean the foliage with a soft cloth and make certain the specimen is free from insects.**

Torn or bruised leaves should be removed, and specimens should be cut not more than 12 inches in length.

Hints for first time exhibitors from the society's veterans include.

1. Do not spray roses this week as it might cause bad **spots on outer petals.**

2. Cut blooms several hours before bringing them to the show, or, preferably, the night before. The flowers should be allowed to stand in a bucket of water in a cool, draft-free location until brought to the YWCA.

Hybrid tea class entrants, the society added, should be disbuded so that each exhibit sports but one rose to a stem.

Exhibitors will not be permitted to use their own containers, and bud vases will be made available for all roses entered.

As a special feature this year, there will be a church arrangement class for which a new, perpetual trophy will be awarded.

Another highlight of the flower fair will be a display of roses grown at the Municipal Rose Gardens.

Rose judges will be Fred S. Glaes, Reading; Mrs. George W. Dick, Shillington, and Mrs. Paul R. Yocom, Lansdale.

Arrangements will be evaluated by Mrs. Walter C. Weber, Lancaster, and Mrs. C. A. Reynolds, Jenkintown.

According to the Pottstown Rose society, the admission-free Rose Show is held each year to "bring before the public the beauty, quality and different varieties of roses grown in the area."

Two thousand persons attended the past year's exhibition, and the society expects the number of viewers to be doubled for this exhibit.

Joseph Selagyi is general chairman for the event.

Serving with him on the general committee are David Shaner, Mrs. Samuel Harner, Lamar Missimer, Verna High, Dorothy Barkel and Clarence Ecker.

Mrs. Alfred Bewley and Mrs. Clarence Ecker will serve as the tabulators.

Registrars will be Mrs. Lamar Missimer and Mrs. Herbert Stauffer. Mrs. Carl Ressler will be chief clerk.

Assistant clerks include Mrs. Edward Fritsch, Robert Boyer, Mrs. Robert Hartman and Verna High.

Carl Ressler heads publicity; Mrs. Raymond Smale, posters.

Hostesses will be Mrs. J. Howard Kinney, Thelma Shaner, Marie Lachman, Mrs. Wilmer Moyer, Ellen Fry, Myrna Fry, Mrs. Henry Rawn and Mrs. Theodore Froelich.

Johnston-Feairheller Nuptials Held in Royersford

Double ring nuptials united in marriage Wanda Johnston and her Royersford bridegroom, Charles Feairheller.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Johnston, 910 High street, are the parents of the bride. The family moved to Pottstown from Arkansas two years ago.

Mother of the groom is Sophia F. Feairheller, 763 Church street, Royersford.

John Hunsicker, justice of the peace, performed the Spring morning wedding in his home before close friends and members of the immediate families of the couple.

To repeat her wedding vows, the bride was attired in a ballerina length frock of bridal white net and satin.

Its low cut bodice of satin fitted off-the shoulders, and was filled with a ruffle of net She added a stole of pure white net as well, to cover her shoulders.

Beneath the gown's fitted waistline, the ballerina skirt was a bouffant cascade of tulle over satin with white satin slippers peeking beneath.

Around her throat, the bride clasped a five-strand necklace of pearls, and single pearls centered her metal earrings, to complete her jewelry.

Atop her dark hair, she wore a fluted coronet of lace-trimmed white, from which fell a fingertip veil of illusion netting.

Her bridal bouquet was formed with an orchid center, surrounded with white rosebuds and lily-of-the-valley and tied with white streamers.

Virginia Adams, a sister, was the bride's sole attendant.

She was attired in a gown of blue and white net over satin, ballerina length, with its off-the-shoulder neckline filled with a matching stole.

Crowning her head was a tiny blue cap, and she carried a bouquet of yellow rosebuds.

Best man was John Fearheller, a cousin of the bridegroom.

After the civil ceremony, a reception for 100 guests was held in the home of the groom's mother.

Roses were used to adorn the receiving room, and the flowers decking the white-clothed bride's table were white carnations and button chrysanthemums.

Centering the table was a three-tiered wedding cake, topped with a miniature bride and groom beneath a white wedding bell.

To receive guests, the mother of the groom wore a nylon print frock of pale blue and orchid. Her accessories were white as were the roses in her corsage

Pink and white predominated in the nylon print worn by the bride's mother, whose accessories and rose corsage also were in white.

After the party, the couple left for a honeymoon in Atlantic City, N. J.

To travel, the bride changed to a linen suit of pale blue, with which she wore pink and white accessories Completing her costume was the orchid from her bouquet.

Back from the trip, the newlyweds reside with the grooom's mother.

She attended Batesville High school in Arkansas and currently is employed by the Savage Radio Service company in Royersford.

Her husband, who studied at Roversford High school, is employed by Wetty and Son company there.

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ROYERSFORD is the home of newly married Mr. and Mrs. Charles Feairheller, above, whose recent nuptials were performed by Justice of the Peace John Hunsicker in his home. The bride formerly was Wanda Johnston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Johnston, 910 High street. The couple, home from a honeymoon in Atlantic City, N. J., are residing with the groom's mother at 763 Church street in Royersford, where both are employed.

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SERVICES in Spring City Evangelical Lutheran church were read by the Rev. Ralph L. Alderfer to unite in marriage Mr. and Mrs. James Robert Weidner, pictured above. The bride is the former Anna Frieda Findeisen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Findeisen, Spring City RD 1. The groom is the son of Mrs. L. Montgomery Weidner Sr., and the late Mr. Weidner. White flowers in the windows, marking the pews and mingling with palm branches on the altar adorned the church, and the bride trod a white-carpeted aisle on the arm of her father. She wore a traditional gown of chantilly lace and tulle over satin with long sleeves and a train, and a fingertip veil from a cap of chantilly lace. She carried an old fashioned bouquet of roses and baby breath with lily-of-the-valley knotted in its streamers. Her attendants were clad in green taffeta and carried American Beauty roses. Later, a reception was held in the church social room before the newlywed's departure to New York State and Canada.

Final Meeting of Pottstown Hospital Auxiliary Members Learn That $2000 for Hospital's Benefit Was Earned at the May Mart

About $2000 were earned at the May Mart the past week, the Pottstown hospital auxiliary learned at yesterday's meeting in the nurses' home, and the sum will be donated to the hospital.

Mrs. Furman Binder, May Mart co-chairman with Mrs, Jesse Hafer, totaled the sum from final reports turned in by the various committee heads.

Conducting the final business meeting of her two-year term at the session, the final until the Autumn, was Mrs. C. R Elicker, who then presented the chair to Mrs. Karl Schumacher.

Mrs. Elicker thanked her board and committee members, and Mrs. Schumacher presented a short acceptance address. She will preside at her first meeting in September.

Officers gave their years' end reports, and summings up were called for from Mrs M. H. Gulack, treasurer; Mrs. Schumacher, outgoing recording secretary, and Mrs. John B. Hartenstine Jr., corresponding secretary

Mrs. Edward Hunmcutt, membership chairman, presented Mrs. Robert Hutton, Mrs. Joseph Keene and Mrs Kieth Scanlon for membership in the auxiliary.

Sewing chairman Mrs. Gulack reported that during the year her committee completed 1377 pieces for the hospital, and Mrs. A. C. Seawell gave a final report on Deb and Teen-Aide activities.

Before the meeting auxiliary members were entertained at a tea at which Mrs. Edward Hunmcutt and Mrs. Stanley Nowacki poured

June roses, peionies and mock orange blossoms centered the tea table. The floral arrangements were the work of Mrs. Maurice Mosheim and Mrs. Rusell Tyson.

Use store bought pound cake and slices of brick ice cream for dessert sandwiches Serve with a sundae sauce

-:- WHAT WOMEN ARE DOING -:-

— Social Calendar —

Ladies' Bible class of the Brethren church—meets at 8 p. m. in the home of Rena Boalton, Glasgow RD 3.

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Auxiliary to the Orioles troop 9 Boy Scouts—meet at 8 p. m. in in the home of Mrs. William Endy, 22 Chestnut street

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Gnosis class of First Baptist church—meets at 8 p m in the home of Doris Stein.

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Berean Bible class of Searles Methodist church—meets at 7.45 p m in the home of Mrs. George Stein, 1205 North Charlotte street.

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Daughters of the King Bible class of Searles Methodist church — meets at 7:45 p. m. in the church parlor.

Soroptimist club board members—president's dinner tonight in Howard Johnson's restaurant.

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Ladies' Aid society of Baltzell EUB church—meets at 2 p. m. in the church.

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Lady Artisans of America—meet at 8 p m in the IO of A building.

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Brownie troop 7—meets at 4 p m. in Emmanuel Lutheran church.

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Women's Missionary society of St. James Lutheran church—meets at 6:30 p. m. for picnic in home of Mrs. John Tyson.

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Loyal club of St. John's Lutheran church—meets at 8 p. m in the church.

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Ladies' Bible class of St. Peter's Lutheran church — meets at 8 p. m. in the church.

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Girl Scouts of the First Baptist church—meet at 6.45 p. m. in the church.

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Mother's club of Zion's Reformed church—meets in the home of Mrs. Clyde Roshon, Beech street.

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Pottstown guild to Riverview Osteopathic hospital—meets at 8 30 p m. in the office of Dr Charles Lichtenwalner Jr., 379 Chestnut street.

Margaret Marie Kramer, 110 West Seventh Street, Will Become The Bride of Donald L. Reese, Ephrata, Her Mother Announces

Carrie Kramer, 110 West Seventh street, has announced the engagement of her daughter, Margaret Marie, to Donald L. Reese, Ephrata.

MARGARET MARIE KRAMER

Mr. Reese is the foster son of Mr. and Mrs. Menno Lembach, Ephrata

Miss Kramer was graduated from Pottstown High school with the class of 1950. She now is employed by Clover Leaf dairy.

Her benedict-elect attended Ephrata High school and works for the G. R. Kinney company in Pottstown

No date has been set for the wedding.

Christ Episcopal Woman's Club Elects

During a dinner held in the Parish house to mark the final meeting of the season, the Women's club of Christ Episcopal church elected new officers.

To conduct her first meeting as president Sept. 14 is newly-elected Leone Bealer. New vice president is Mrs. George Brower.

Mrs. Herbert Maack won the balloting for recording secretary; Mrs. Charles Bartholomew, corresponding secretary, and Mrs. Hockley McKee, treasurer.

Twenty-seven persons were present at the dinner, hosted by out-going president Mrs. Harry Charles.

Mrs. Nathan Leblang Attends Daughter's Pre-35th Anniversary

Mrs. Nathan LeBlang, 429 High street, saw her daughter and son-in-law celebrate their 35th wedding anniversary exactly one week early the past Thursday, because she will be unable to join them on June 4.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Liebowitz, Masontown, were married 35 years ago Thursday in Odd Fellows Hall, here by Rabbi Englander, the same man who married Mrs. LeBlang and her late husband 57 years ago.

Mrs. Liebowitz, one of thirteen children, has five children of her own. The latter were all present at the party held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Schwartz, Chester.

Mrs. Schwartz is the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs Liebowitz.

Fifty-five persons attended the party from Chester, West Chester, Coatesville, Camden, N. J., Masontown, Philadelphia and Washington.

Mrs. Liebowitz was graduated from Pottstown High school. Her husband attended school in Austria, and went to evening business school in Pittsburgh.

He is associated with Union markets in Masontown.

Mrs. George Stein Will Host Berean Meeting

Mrs. George Stein, 1205 North Charlotte street, will entertain the Berean Bible class of Searles Methodist church tonight.

Boy Scout Auxiliary

Their final meeting of the season will be held tonight by members of the auxiliary to Orioles troop 9 Boy Scouts.

Hostess for the gathering will be Mrs. William Endy, 22 Chestnut street, at 8 p. m.

Meeting on Glasgow RD 3

Hostess for tonight's meeting of the Ladies Bible class of the Brethren church will be Rena Boalton.

Her home, on Glasgow RD 1, will be the scene of the 8 p. m. meeting.

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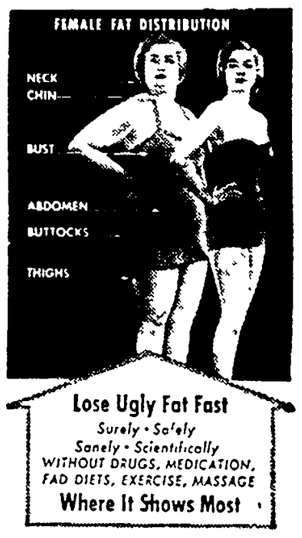

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SEASON OVER

Trojans Hit .383; Ricketts - .568

Both opposition pitchers and batsmen took severe trimmings from the protoges of retiring coach Ed Good during this past baseball season, ruled complete yesterday when the Doylestown-Pottstown game was cancelled.

That left the Trojans with 13 straight victories this year, 40 over a three-year period, a team batting mark of 383 and a pair of pitchers who barely gave up a hit every two innings and fanned five times as many as they walked.

Pacing the PHS stickers as usual was hefty Dave Ricketts, their versatile batteryman who was equally adept at either terminal. Dave, while taking time out to post five mound wins, swatted the sphere into near-lopsideness with 25 hits in 44 bids for a .568 mark.

Catcher-outfielder Bill Drauschak, a Senior in his first full tour of varsity ball, raked in hits at a .479 rate with 23 for 48, followed by transfer shortstop Rod Cheney, with .417.

Cheney's 20 runs topped the team, followed by Ricketts, 18, and Drauschak, 17. Cheney ranked third in total hits behind those two, also.

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THE TWO-BASE hit crown went to Ricketts for his even half-dozen, with Cheney next at four. Drauschak topped the team in both triples and homers, banging three of the former and four round-trippers.

Ricketts' 18 RBI's was best, followed by Drauschak's 17—exceptionally good for a leadoff man—and Soph third sacker Mac Shirey's 15.

As a whole the team hit 149 for 389, scoring 111 runs, batting over 90 of them, and garnering 21 doubles, seven three-sackers and nine homers for a .383 average.

Kriezky, finishing up an unbeaten high school career, chalked up eight wins for the Trojans the past year, while fanning 110 batters in 54 frames. He walked 17 and allowed but 23 hits over the same period.

Ricketts whiffed 56 in 36 rounds, passing but seven and yielding 10 safeties. Between the two of them they gave up 43 bingles in 90 rounds, passed 34 and struck out 166.

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— GOOD TIME —

COMPLETE TEAM BATTING

	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	AVE
Baue	7	2	4	0	0	0	1	.571
Ricketts	44	18	25	6	1	2	19	.568
Drauschak	48	17	23	1	3	4	17	.479
Cheney	48	20	20	4	1	0	6	.417
Bedell	43	7	16	0	1	1	14	.372
Shirey	43	14	15	2	1	2	15	.349
Kerr	25	10	12	1	0	0	3	.342
Sova	29	6	9	3	0	0	0	.310
Kriezky	39	10	12	2	0	0	11	.308
Zenninger	7	0	2	1	0	0	0	.286
Harvey	31	7	8	1	0	0	3	.258
Moser	13	0	3	0	0	0	1	.231
Saltzer	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	.000
Reitzes	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
	389	111	149	21	7	9	—	.383

PITCHING

	W	L	IP	H	BB	SO
Kriezky	8	0	54	23	17	110
Ricketts	5	0	36	10	7	56
	13	0	90	43	34	166

DIDN'T TAKE LONG - - By Alan Maver

Jacketti Blanks 'Enders as Gabes Explode, 10-0

St Gabriels rifled Phoenixville's West Enders, 10 0, for its second French Creek Valley league win last night at West Pottsgrove as the Gabes backed Frank Jacketti with 16-hit support.

Dick Geisler, the former WPHS infield ace, paced the victors' onslaught on losing hurler Jim Barnett, with a double, triple and single in four official tries. Bob Basile also enjoyed a three-hit evening, swatting all singles.

St. Gabes	ab	r	h	o	a	West End	ab	r	h	o	a
Geisler ss	4	2	3	0	3	Miller 1b	2	0	1	0	0
Basile 2b	1	0	3	3	1	Hepp, 2b	3	0	0	6	0
Ctor. 3b	4	2	2	1	2	Light'n cf	3	0	0	2	1
Klapt'y cf	4	1	1	1	0	Brac'lin 3b	3	0	1	4	2
Yarm'sh lf	2	1	1	4	1	Gelgus ss	3	0	1	3	1
Nore, 1b	4	1	1	10	0	Hallm'n c	2	0	1	0	1
Sabo c	4	1	1	1	0	Barnett p	3	0	1	1	0
Kuter'h rf	3	1	1	1	0	Erberz, rf	3	0	0	2	0
Jacketti p	3	1	1	0	6	Vall, lf	3	0	0	0	2
Co'rtost c	2	0	1	0	0						
Totals	34	10	16	21	12	Totals	26	0	5	18	7

West End	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—	0
St Gabes	3	0	2	2	3	0	\x	\x	—	10

E — Hepp, Geigus, Hallman, Nore 2B — Geisler, Geigus, Jacketti 3B — Geisler BOB—Off Jacketti 1 SO—By Jacketti 5 Vall 3 PB—Miller 2 WINNER—Jacketti. LOSER—Barnett

Klaptosky Hurls Two-Hitter for 3-1 Redbird Win

Johnny Klaptosky's masterful two-hit pitching carried the Redbirds through to a 3-1 City Softball circuit victory last night over the Pottstown Athletic association at Franklin field annex.

The 'Birds got only three hits themselves off losing twirler Tom Kozlowski, but made enough of them and a PAA boot to count twice in the second frame and once more in the sixth.

Guy Sperat's double to lead off the first frame touched the loser's only rally, in which they counted their only run. Sperat counted on Dave Detar's single, and that was all the hitting for the rest of the evening by PAA.

Redbirds	ab	r	h	o	a	PAA	ab	r	h	o	a
Fry, cf	3	1	1	2	0	Sperat 2b	2	1	1	2	
Wentzel, lf	3	0	0	2		Monogh'n,cf	3	0	0	2	
Brauns'k, 3b	3	1	0	2		Shaner, ss	2	0	0	2	
Pettit, c	2	1	1	9		Detar 1f	3	0	1	3	
Jackley, 1b	2	0	0	4		Bernh'rt,1b	3	0	0	8	
Levengood,ss	2	0	0	1		Ottavi no,3b	3	0	0	0	
Weber, rf	3	0	1	0		Powell, c	3	0	0	4	
Kline, 2b	3	0	0	1		Kozlowski,p	3	0	0	0	
Klaptosky, p	2	0	0	0		Kirlin, rf	1	0	0	0	
						a-Yonk'n,rf	0	0	0	0	
Totals	23	3	3	21		Totals	23	1	2	21	

a-Walked for Kirlin in 7th

Redbirds	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	—	3
PAA	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	—	1

E—Jackley, Klaptosky, Kirlin, Levengood 2B — Sperat. SAC — Ottaviano SB—Sperat, Pettit BOB—Klaptosky 4 HBP—Kozlowski SO—By Klaptosky 6 WINNER — Klaptosky. LOSER — Kozlowski.

H Plant Tops Finalists, 14-5

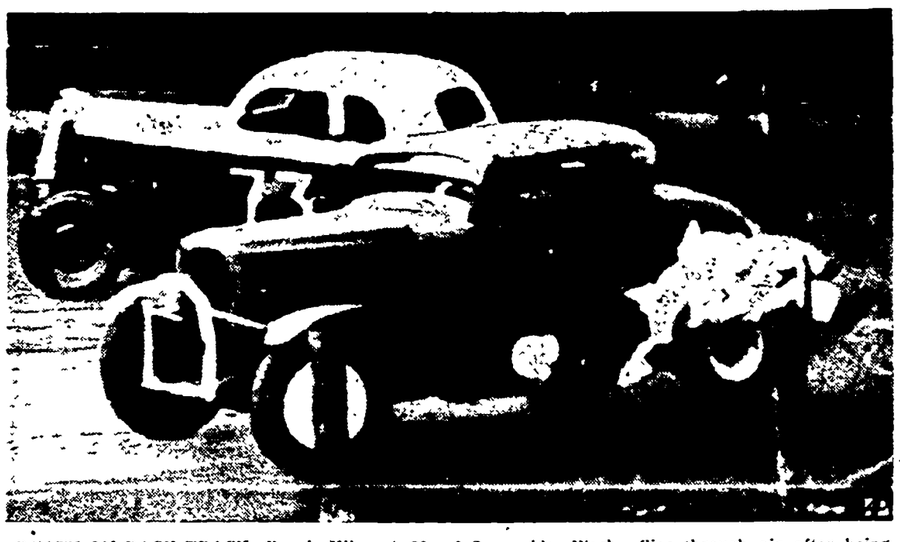
H Plant romped over Final Inspection, 14-5, last night in the Doehler-Jarvis softball circuit at Stowe as Jack Reifsnyder paced a 13-hit attack with a perfect four-for-four night at the dish

Reifsnyder socked two doubles among his quartet of safeties, one with the sacks loaded in the third and the other with two on in the next round. Dick Clemens coasted in on a nine-hitter to collect the hill nod.

Heat Plant	ab	r	h	o	Final Inspection	ab	r	h	o
McElroy 2b	3	1	1	4	Keller, ss	4	1	3	2
Timmins ss	4	2	2	0	Neiffer, 3b	3	0	0	1
Reifsnyder c	4	1	4	2	Ondo 1b	4	1	2	7
Peterman,1b	4	0	0	7	Fazekas lf	4	0	0	4
Bauer, cf	2	0	0	1	G. Moore, cf	4	1	0	4
Moore lf	3	2	2	3	Endy p 2b	3	0	0	0
Dieroff, 3b	3	2	2	1	Lightcap, c	3	0	1	1
Rhoades, rf	3	2	1	2	Bodolus rf	3	1	1	1
Clemens p	3	2	1	1	Shear, 2b, p	3	1	2	1
Keough, cf	2	2	0	0					
Marq'ette rf	1	0	0	0					
Corbett rf	0	0	0	0					
Totals	32	14	13	21	Totals	31	5	9	21

Heat Plant	1	0	2	6	1	0	4	—	14
Final Inspection	0	0	0	2	0	0	3	—	5

E—Neiffer, Shear, Bauer. 2B—Reifsnyder 2 Timmins, Moore SAC—McElroy, Endy, Rhoades DP—Keller to Endy to Ondo. BOB — Off Shear 3 Endy 1. SO—By Clemens 1, Shear 1. WINNER—Clemens LOSER—Shear.



DEATH ON RACE TRACK—Bernie Klippert, 28, of Sunnyside, Wash., flies through air after being struck by hard top car No. 13 during Memorial Day race, on Central Washington Fairgrounds track, at Yakima, Wash. Klippert's car, No. 73, in background, had been wrecked in a fence smashup in which he escaped injury. Klippert was running across the track toward infield when he was struck. He was dead on arrival at hospital. Photo was made by C. (Holly) Hollenbeck, Yakima amateur.

Boyertown, Palm Win in B-M Loop

Boyertown snatched its second Berks-Mont softball circuit win last night by expounding eloquently its two-hit argument for a 5 3 verdict over visiting Perkiomen Heights

The B-towners, with two-base blows by Jack Miller and Al Landis igniting things, counted four times in the first frame off Hal Schoup to clinch the win.

The Perkers, losing their second in three starts, reached winner Jim Minninger for four hits, two of them doubles by Endy and Reichelderfer

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DICK SCHELL paced league-leading Palm to a 15 2 win at home over the Perkiomen All-Stars in another B-M circuit tussle.

Schell banged out three hits as the Palmists nabbed their third straight win behind Steve Sofa, who hurled six-hit ball.

Line score:

Perkiomen Stars	001 010 0—	2	6
Palm	406 005 x—	15	14

Schultz, Erb (3), Treffinger (5) and Hummel, Sofa and R Schell

Perkiomen Heights	ab	r	h	Boyertown	ab	r	h
Hallman, 1b	3	0	1	Wolfgang 2b	4	0	0
Moll, ss	3	0	0	Reifsnyder,c	2	1	0
Stahl, rf	4	0	0	Mecherly ss	1	2	0
Endy, c	4	0	0	Minninger p	3	1	0
Graber lf	4	1	1	Miller 3b	3	0	1
Benfield, cf	4	1	0	Landis lf	3	1	1
Reicheld'r 3b	4	0	1	Werstler, 1b	2	0	0
Ames 2b	1	0	0	Schoch, cf	3	0	0
Schoup, p	3	1	1	Tim rf	2	0	0
				Eddinger,1b	0	0	0
				N Miller rf	0	0	0
Totals	30	3	4	Totals	23	5	2

Perkiomen Heights	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	—	3
Boyertown	4	0	0	0	1	0	x	—	5

RBI—Endy, Reichelderfer, Miller, Landis 2B—Schoup BOB—Off Schoup 5, Minninger 4. SO—By Schoup 2, Minninger 1. PB—Reifsnyder 2. Endy 3. WP—Minninger 3. LEFT—Perkiomen Heights 10, Boyertown 5 WINNER—Minninger (2-1). LOSER—Schoup (0-2).

TODAY'S SPORTS

CITY BASEBALL LEAGUE
Jacobs vs. St. Johns, at Franklin field, 6 p. m.

CITY SOFTBALL LEAGUE
Jacobs vs. Thomas Motors, at Franklin field annex, 6 p. m.

SUBURBAN LEAGUE
Linfield at Sanatoga
Ringing Hill at Royersford.
Spring Mount at Gilbertsville.
All games at 6 15 p. m

DOEHLER LEAGUE
Engineers vs. Heat Treat, at Stowe, 6 p. m.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LEAGUE
Trinity vs. Coventryville Methodists, at Memorial park, 6 p. m

Lions Club Will See Ball Game in Philadelphia

Members of the Pottstown Lions club will take to the road tonight to watch a Phillies Cardinals ball game in Philadelphia.

The Lions will leave Pottstown by bus at 6 p. m. The game will take the place of this week's meeting.

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'NOTHING BALL' FOWLER MAKING COMEBACK IN SOUTH

CHARLESTON, W. Va., — If a guy is to make baseball his career, he can get ahead only if he is good enough to pitch in the big leagues. Therefore, the erstwhile "sore-armed" Dick Fowler, who threw what players called a "nothing ball" in recent years, is working like blazes these days in an effort to get back on the main line, where he once was one of the game's brighter stars.

Dick pitched a no-hit, no-run game for the Philadelphia Athletics back in September, 1945, winning a 1 0 decision over the St. Louis Browns.

It was apparent then that he had many successful years ahead of him in the American league. He had just returned from military service and felt there would be no more interference in his drive to fame.

He won nine and lost 16 in 1946, and had winning records of 12-11, 15 8 and 15-11 the next three years. Then in 1950, it happened His arm began to bother him near the shoulder joint It was diagnosed at first as simply a sore arm. But when it failed to respond to treatment, the docs got to calling it bursitis.

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HIS RECORD for the 1950 season was 1-5 and in 1951, with the arm bothering him constantly, he had a 5-11 record. In 1952, while the A's still refused to give up on him, he won one and lost two and hardly saw any action at all. At the close of the campaign, he was handed his outright release.

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BACK HOME in New York, Dick got busy looking for a job. Finally Danny Menendez, owner of the Charleston club of the American association, heard about the 6-foot-5, 215-pounder and offered him a chance with the Senators.

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DICK quickly accepted and went on to Avon Park, Fla., where the Senators were in training.

He was the hardest-working player in camp. It was all or nothing for the 31-year-old Canadian-born hurler.

"If his arm is OK, he will make us a fine pitcher," said Charleston manager Joe Becker. "If his arm isn't OK, he won't be with us at all."

Dick was careful at first with his arm. He couldn't bring himself to cut loose. He still feared that awful pain in his shoulder might return. Then finally one day, he threw a little harder than usual. Then still a little harder. And before he knew it, he was burning the ball in there with all his old time speed.

And nothing hurt him.

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FINALLY, Dick decided that it wasn't a simple sore arm and not bursitis, as the docs had told him.

"I think I had pulled a tendon or ligament in my arm," he reasoned. "It has healed up now, whatever it was. Anyway, I don't have any pain and I can throw almost as hard as I did in my peak year with the Athletics."

And of course, Charleston fans are overjoyed.

Dick is a most popular man around Watt Powell Park in Charleston. He gives the team all he has, never has much to say and is really giving it the old college try in his comeback efforts. He's a real friendly person and likes to play ball in Charleston, although he admits there's no place like the majors.

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DICK FOWLER
. . . *Making Comeback in Minors*

JUNIOR HIGH ATHLETES ARE FETED AT DINNER

The varsity lettermen of four Pottstown Junior High school athletic teams that compiled an overall 29 9 mark during the past school year were feted last night in the Junior High school cafeteria at the annual sports banquet.

The cheerleaders, coaches and the Ninth grade girls who competed on the Senior High school teams were also present at the dinner along with principal William D. Mower.

The speaker of the evening was Stephen W. Roberts, headmaster at Pennsburg's Perkiomen Preparatory school. Roberts was formally a head coach at East Stroudsburg Teachers college, whence Gene Kauler, who handles three of the Cub varsity sports, graduated.

Kauler's gridders enjoyed a 5-1 season, his basketballers amazed a 9-5 log while the diamond devotees notched an 8-2 record. Charlie Wisner's trackmen held a 7-1 ledger. Spencer Lessig and Bill Simonitis were assistant coaches during the past seasons.

The high school girls are tutored by Miss Margaret Mallady.

Special recognition was given Jim Gibbons, who was the only Junior High athlete to earn three varsity letters. Gibbons played quarterback on the football team and also lettered in basketball and track, specializing in the dashes in the latter sport.

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FOOTBALL lettermen were captain Ed Sobresky, Ken Wensel, Gibbons, Joe Lipko, Dave Gillis, Don Keifrider, Marshall Sager, Dick Rhoads, Bob Weiser, Wilson Bedell, Bob Gilliland, John O'Such, Fred Kupeski, Gordon Astheimer, Mike Lunn, Al McNeal, Ken Tinney, Charles Griesemer, Cal Miller and Ron Stranick.

Lettering in basketball were Paul Zirkel, Gibbons, Wensel, John Barber, Al Laws, Bob Freese and Bob Grow.

The baseball monogram-winners were Lunn, Tom Drauschak, Ellis, John Seasholtz, Tom Ozoroski, Charles Catanzaro, Wils Bedell, Griesemer, Grow, Jim Hallman and Weiser.

In track varsity letters went to Rhoads, Dennis Astheimer, George Carter, Sobresky, Don Endy, Gibbons, Bill Zink, Zirkel, O'Such, Otis Hespeth and Larry Harvey.

Managers also receiving letters were William Rhoads, football; Neal Mahr and Jim Montague, basketball; Gil Pennypacker, baseball, and Mahr and Dick Stoudt, track.

Mayo to Orioles

PHILADELPHIA, June 1 (AP)—The Philadelphia Phillies announced today they are sending 26-year-old Jack Mayo to the Baltimore Orioles of the International league, subject to 24-hour recall.

The baseball club gave no reason for the transfer of the utility outfielder. Mayo played in 50 games last year and batted .273.

Final Cage Meeting

The final organization meeting of the Summer Outdoor basketball league will be held Wednesday night at 8:30 o'clock in the YMCA.

At present it appears seven teams will join the league. Games will be played under the lights at the Junior High outdoor court.

Optimists Drill

The Optimist club Knee-Hi team will practice this evening at 6 p. m. on the Far fields. Another drill is listed for Saturday morning at 10 on the same site.

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Kiner's Arm In Shape for Today

PITTSBURGH, June 1 (AP)—Manager Fred Haney said today he believes outfielder Ralph Kiner's injured left forearm will be in shape for the home run slugger to rejoin the Pittsburgh Pirate lineup in tomorrow's game here with Chicago.

Kiner was hit on the arm by a pitched ball in the second game of a doubleheader between the Pirates and Brooklyn Dodgers here Saturday. The injury kept Kiner out of a doubleheader in Brooklyn yesterday.

Haney said Kiner's arm was swollen and bruised.

The Standings

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Yesterday's Results
No games scheduled

Standings	Won	Lost	Pct.	Behind
Brooklyn	27	11	.659	—
Milwaukee	25	13	.658	1½
St. Louis	23	15	.605	3½
Philadelphia	20	14	.588	5½
New York	19	19	.500	6½
Chicago	12	23	.333	12½
Cincinnati	12	24	.333	12½
Pittsburgh	13	28	.317	14

Today's Games and Probable Pitchers
Chicago at Pittsburgh—Rush (3 6) vs. Lundell (2-5) 8 30 p m
Milwaukee at Brooklyn—Wilson (2 2) vs. Meyer (4-1) 8 00 p m
Cincinnati at New York—Podbielan (2-4) vs Hearn (3 4) 8 30 p m
St Louis at Philadelphia—Staley (7-1) or Chambers (0 2) vs. Roberts (7-3) 8.00 p.m.

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Yesterday's Results
No games scheduled.

Standings	Won	Lost	Pct.	Behind
New York	22	15	.711	—
Cleveland	22	15	.595	4½
Chicago	23	18	.581	4½
Washington	23	20	.535	6½
Boston	21	21	.500	8
St. Louis	18	24	.429	11
Philadelphia	18	24	.429	11
Detroit	10	31	.244	18½

Today's Games and Probable Pitchers
New York at Chicago—Lopat (4 0) vs. Fornieles (2 1) 9.30 p m.
Washington at St. Louis—Masterson (2 6) vs Littlefield (2-3) 9.30 p m.
Philadelphia at Detroit—Byrd (4 5) vs. Garver (3-5) 9 30 p.m.
Boston at Cleveland—Grissom (2 3) vs. Garcia (4 3) 8:15 p.m.

Walters, Babel Combine to Shut Out Sanatoga, 7-0, for Hillers

Ringing Hill romped to its fourth straight Suburban league win last night, 7-0, over Sanatoga as Frank Babel and Milt Walters collaborated to spin a three-hit spell over the visiting Juniors.

Lefty Babel gave up two hits in his three round stay and Walters, a right-hander, permitted but one over the remainder of the bob-tailed six-frame route. Walters received credit for the win, with Ron Cincely, who bowed out after one inning, being charged with the loss.

The Hillers rapped reliefer Clarence Albitz for five more tallies in the final five innings. Babel rapped out four hits including a two-bagger and Tony Lucarelli and Lee Hartman each socked a brace of singles to head the Hill hit list.

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Sanatoga	ab	r	h	o	a	Ringing Hill	ab	r	h	o	a
E Drau'k ss	3	0	1	2	0	Kulls'r,cf	2	1	1	0	0
Porter, 1b	3	0	0	4	0	Rayson,1b	2	1	0	4	1
Albitz p rf	3	0	0	0	2	Wal's p rf	4	0	0	0	0
B Drau'k,c	2	0	0	4	1	Hartm'n c	3	3	2	8	1
Hoff, cf	2	0	1	2	0	E Lib rf,p	4	1	4	0	1
Rosen'r,3b	2	0	0	1	2	Luca'li 3b	3	0	2	0	1
Groff, 2b	2	0	0	2	0	Snell, 2b	2	0	0	2	2
Miller, lf	2	0	0	1	0	Sau'n cf,lf	2	0	1	1	0
Gincley,rf,p	2	0	1	3	0	Moyer, ss	3	1	1	2	1
						Smith, rf	0	0	0	0	0
						a-Koren,lf	1	0	0	1	0
Totals	21	0	3	18	5	Totals	26	7	11	18	7

a-Walked for Kultshoff in 6th.

Sanatoga	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—	0
Ringing Hill	2	3	0	0	0	2	—	7

E—Moyer. 2B—Babel E Drauschak. SAC — Moyer. SB — Moyer, Saurman, Hartman H—Off Gincley 3 in 1 inning. Albitz 8 in 5. Babel 2 in 2. Walters 1 in 3 BOB—Off Gincley 2. Albitz 4. SO—By Babel 4 Walters 5. Albitz 4. WINNER—Walters LOSER—Gincley

Amoles Practice

The Pottstown American Legion Junior baseball team will practice tonight and tomorrow evening at the Hill school's Dell field, off Beech street, at 6 o'clock.

Manager Ray (Pidgie) Kepner announced last evening that uniforms would be handed out tomorrow night for the team's June 10 Montco loop inaugural.

Haney Helped Too

Lindell, Sandlock Share Credit for Return to Majors

PITTSBURGH, May 29 (AP)—Somewhere along the line Johnny Lindell picked up a knuckleball pitch and catcher Mike Sandlock. The result: a return trip to the majors for two 36-year-old veterans.

Lindell and Sandlock now form one of the oldest batteries in the major leagues for the Pittsburgh Pirates. The Pirates specifically brought up Sandlock to catch the knuckleball slants of Lindell and southpaw Paul LaPalme.

Lindell, the big, good natured Californian and former New York Yankees slugger, credits Sandlock as one of two men responsible for his return to the big time. The other is Fred Haney, manager of the Pirates.

"Haney gave me a chance to pitch," Lindell said, "and Sandlock was my catcher at Hollywood. Mike helped me greatly. He nursed me along, gave me encouragement and acted as my tutor and counsellor. My big break was coming back to the majors and Haney bringing Mike up along to catch me."

But to hear Sandlock talk, it is just the reverse. He gives Lindell and Haney the plums for his return to the big time after almost a decade.

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"THERE'S A GUY (Lindell) with a heart as big as a mountain. He always gives me the credit, actually, Johnny's the best darn knuckleball pitcher in the big leagues. He's also got a slider and a fast ball."

Lindell interrupted:

"Yep," Mike's my boy. In fact, he's half of my bread and butter. Without Mike where would I be? I've got two twins and five losses, but not actually, with Mike and me it's share and share alike. That gives him one win and 2½ losses."

What's so different about a knuckleball? Does it do tricks? Is it hard to catch? How do you control it? Any special equipment needed to catch it?

Let Sandlock, who caught Lindell's sensational 24 9 performance with Hollywood in the Pacific Coast league last year under Haney tell you.

"It's a tough ball to catch, especially Lindell's. You never know how it is going to break. Some knuckleballs just sink. But not Johnny's

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"HIS BALL breaks at the last minute either to the left or right. Sometimes almost out of the park I've gotten hit in the chest and in the arms and have black and blue marks to show for it.

"Funny thing, though. I've never gotten a broken finger. Guess I'm lucky. One of these days it may be different. Johnny throws that knuckler 80 percent of the time.

"Do I use any special equipment? Heck, no. Just a flabby catcher's mitt with wire mesh wrapped in adhesive tape between the thumb and the rest of glove.

"You need something soft. Many times I just knock the ball down and pick it up right away. It's especially nerve-wracking with men on base. You never know where the ball's going."

Sandlock broke into organized baseball with Huntington, W. Va., back in 1938 and has been 'round the horn. His major league stops were with Boston in 1944 and Brooklyn in 1945-46.

Lindell was the Pacific Coast league's top performer in 1952. He began his pro baseball career with Joplin in the Western association and remained on the mound until 1943 with the New York Yankees, when he was converted to an outfielder.

Young Clergyman

Elwin (Preacher) Roe, southpaw ace of the Brooklyn Dodgers, was given his nickname at the age of three in his home town, Ash Flat, Ark.

Many Sacrifices

In 1948 when playing for the Boston Braves, Johnny Sain became the first pitcher in the history of the National League to lead the loop in sacrifice hits (16).

1st American Middie

The first American pugilist to obtain recognition as middleweight champion was Tom Chandler. He defeated Dooney Harris in a bare knuckles fight in 23 rounds in San Francisco on April 13, 1867.

League Didn't Matter

Joe McCarthy is the only manager to have won pennants in both major leagues. He piloted the Chicago Cubs to the flag in 1929 and the New York Yankees to the top on eight occasions.

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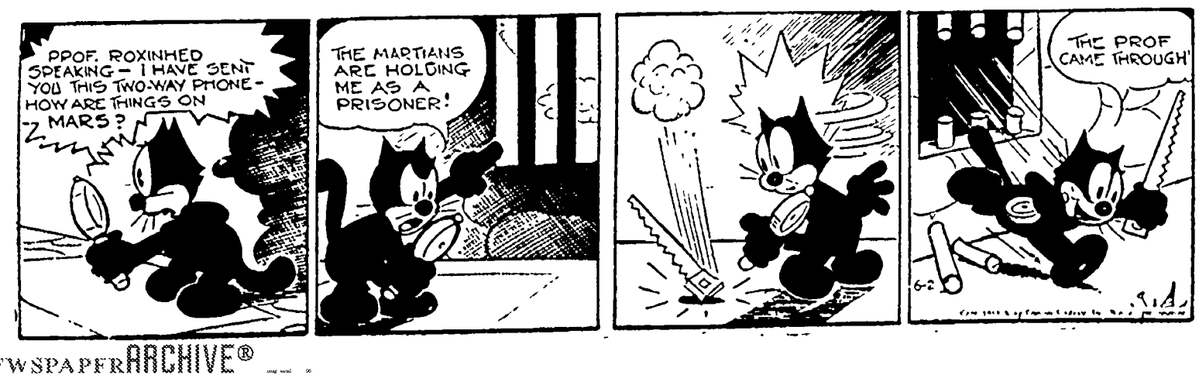

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